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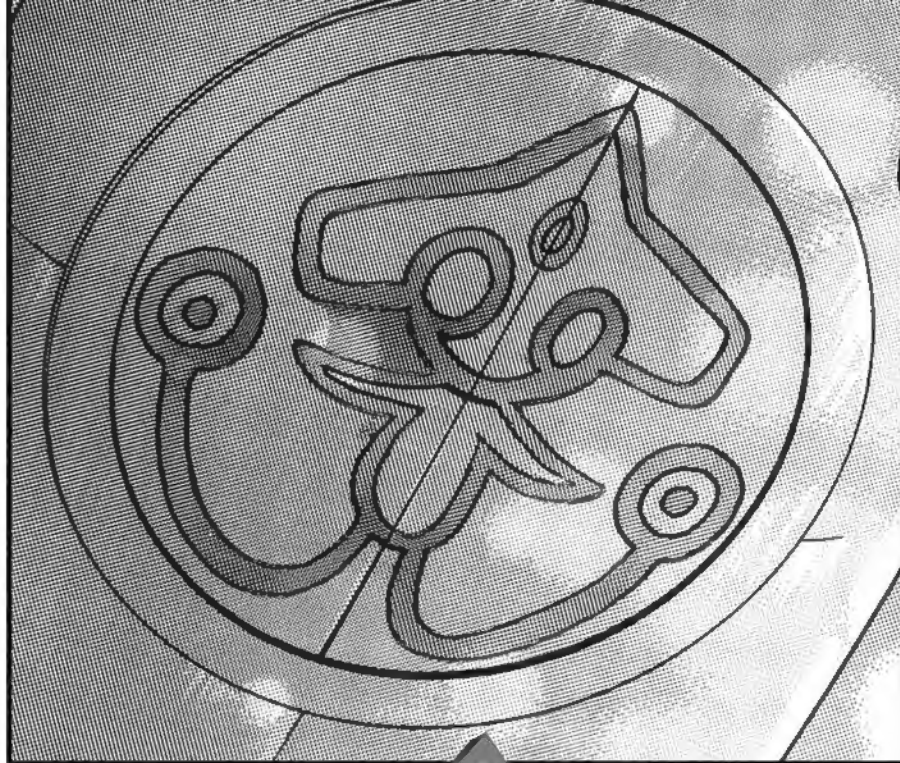


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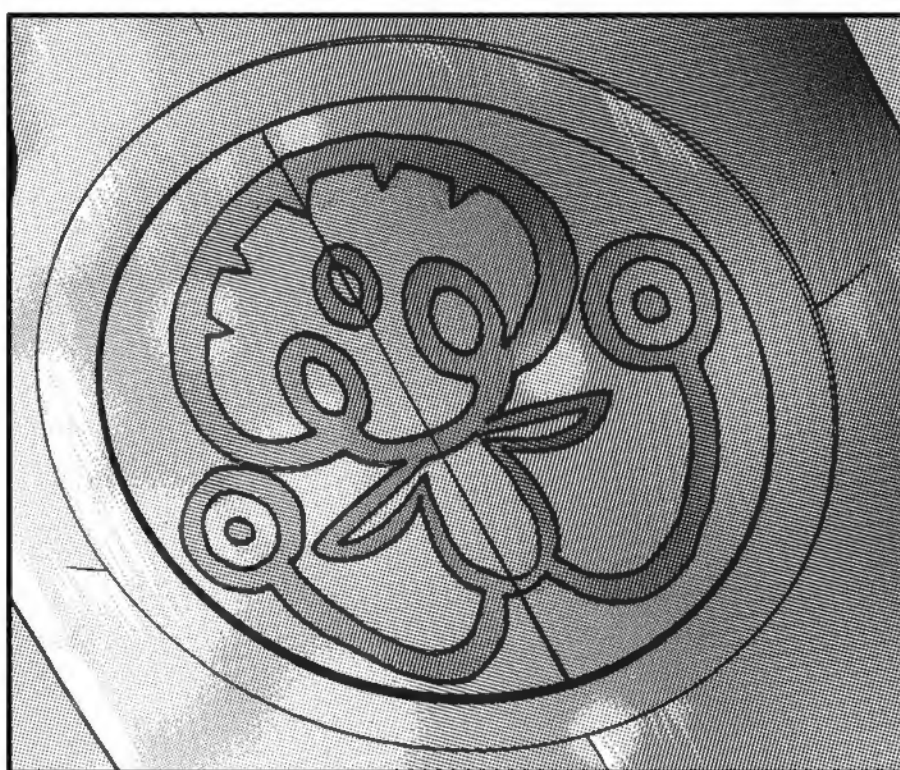
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Kusaka**





**Rad Rickshaw**

THE OWNER OF A BICYCLE SHOP IN ETERNA CITY.



**Candice**

THE SNOWPOINT CITY GYM LEADER. A POWERFUL GYM LEADER WHO USES ICE-TYPE POKÉMON.



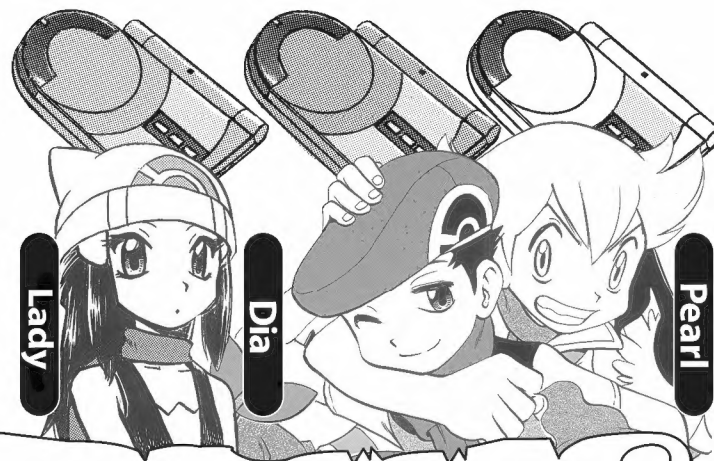
**Maylene**

THE VEILSTONE CITY GYM LEADER. HER EXPERTISE IS FIGHTING-TYPE POKÉMON.



**Roseanne**

PROFESSOR ROWAN'S ASSISTANT. SHE IS ACCOMPANYING DIA TO LAKE VERITY.



**Lady**

**Dia**

**Pearl**

A STORY ABOUT YOUNG PEOPLE ENTRUSTED WITH POKÉDEXES BY THE WORLD'S LEADING POKÉMON RESEARCHERS. TOGETHER WITH THEIR POKÉMON, THEY TRAVEL, BATTLE, AND EVOLVE!

THE TWO BODYGUARDS ENTRUSTED WITH ESCORTING LADY ARE AWARE OF THE MIX-UP AND SET OUT TO CATCH UP WITH DIAMOND, PEARL, AND LADY. BUT THEN THEY GET MIXED UP WITH MYSTERIOUS TEAM GALACTIC, WHO ARE BUSY CREATING TROUBLE IN THE SINNOH REGION. THEIR DEVIUS PLAN IS TO CREATE A GALACTIC BOMB.

DIAMOND AND PEARL FINALLY REVEAL THAT THEY ARE NOT LADY'S REAL BODYGUARDS, AND THOUGH IT SHAKES HER UP FOR A MOMENT, LADY (WHOSE REAL NAME "PLATINUM" HAS NOW BEEN REVEALED) RESOLVES TO STICK BY HER FRIENDS AND TRUST IN THEM AGAIN. BUT THEN THE TRIO SEPARATE AND EACH SETS OUT ALONE FOR ONE OF THE THREE SINNOH LAKES WHERE THREE POKÉMON OF LEGEND—UXIE, MESPRIT, AND AZELF—SLUMBER.

WITH ALL CLUES POINTING TO "OUTER SPACE," OUR FRIENDS GRADUALLY BEGIN TO FIGURE OUT THEIR ENEMY'S NEFARIOUS PLAN. BUT BEFORE THEY CAN ACT, THE DAY THE "GALACTIC BOMB" IS TO BE DROPPED ARRIVES AND THREE EERIE-LOOKING AIRSHIPS SLOWLY MAKE THEIR WAY TOWARD THE LEGENDARY LAKES....!

SOME PLACE IN SOME TIME... THE DAY HAS COME FOR A YOUNG LADY, THE ONLY DAUGHTER OF THE BERLITZ FAMILY, THE WEALTHIEST IN THE SINNOH REGION, TO EMBARK ON A JOURNEY. IN ORDER TO MAKE A SPECIAL EMBLEM BEARING HER FAMILY CREST, SHE MUST PERSONALLY FIND AND GATHER THE MATERIALS AT THE PEAK OF MT. CORONET. SHE SETS OUT ON HER JOURNEY WITH THE INTENTION OF MEETING UP WITH TWO BODYGUARDS ASSIGNED TO ESCORT HER.

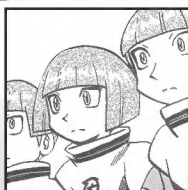
MEANWHILE, POKÉMON TRAINERS PEARL AND DIAMOND, WHO DREAM OF BECOMING STAND-UP COMEDIANS, ENTER A COMEDY CONTEST IN JUBILIFE AND WIN THE SPECIAL MERIT AWARD. BUT THEIR PRIZE OF AN ALL-EXPENSES PAID TRIP GETS SWITCHED WITH THE CONTRACT FOR LADY'S BODYGUARDS!

THUS PEARL AND DIAMOND THINK LADY IS THEIR TOUR GUIDE, AND LADY THINKS THEY ARE HER BODYGUARDS! DESPITE THE CASES OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY, THE TRIO TRAVEL TOGETHER QUITE HAPPILY THROUGH THE VAST COUNTRYSIDE.



**Cyrus**

TEAM GALACTIC'S BOSS, AN OVERBEARING, INTENSE MAN.



**Galactic Grunts**

THE TEAM GALACTIC TROOPS, WHO CARRY OUT THEIR LEADER'S BIDDING WITHOUT QUESTION. CREEPY!



**Saturn**

HE IS IN CHARGE OF THE BOMB AND RARELY STEPS ONTO THE BATTLEFIELD HIMSELF.



**Mars**

A TEAM GALACTIC LEADER. HER PERSONALITY IS HARD TO PIN DOWN.



**Paka & Uji**

THE REAL BODYGUARDS HIRED TO ESCORT LADY.



**Sebastian**

THE BERLITZ FAMILY BUTLER, WHO IS ALWAYS WORRYING ABOUT LADY.



**Mr. Berlitz**

LADY'S FATHER, WHO ASSISTS PROFESSOR ROWAN.



**Professor Rowan**

A LEADING RESEARCHER OF POKÉMON EVOLUTION. HE CAN BE QUITE INTIMIDATING!



**Kit (Lickilicky, ♂)**

BOLD.  
SCATTERS  
THINGS OFTEN.

**Tru (Torterra, ♂)**

RELAXED.  
GOOD  
PERSEVERANCE.

**Lax (Munchlax, ♂)**

IMPISH. LOVES  
TO EAT.

**Don (Shieldon, ♂)**

CAREFUL.  
SOMEWHAT  
STUBBORN.

**Chimler (Infernape, ♂)**

NAUGHTY.  
LIKES TO RUN.

**Chatler (Chatot, ♂)**

HASTY.  
SOMEWHAT OF  
A CLOWN.

**Rayler (Luxray, ♂)**

BRAVE.  
THOROUGHLY  
CUNNING.

**Rapidash (Rapidash, ♂)**

**Lopunny (Lopunny, ♀)**

MILD.  
ALERT TO  
SOUNDS.

MODEST. OFTEN  
LOST IN THOUGHT.

**Empoleon (Empoleon, ♀)**

SERIOUS. A LITTLE  
QUICK TEMPERED.



**Dia's Pokémon**



**Pearl's Pokémon**



**Lady's Pokémon**



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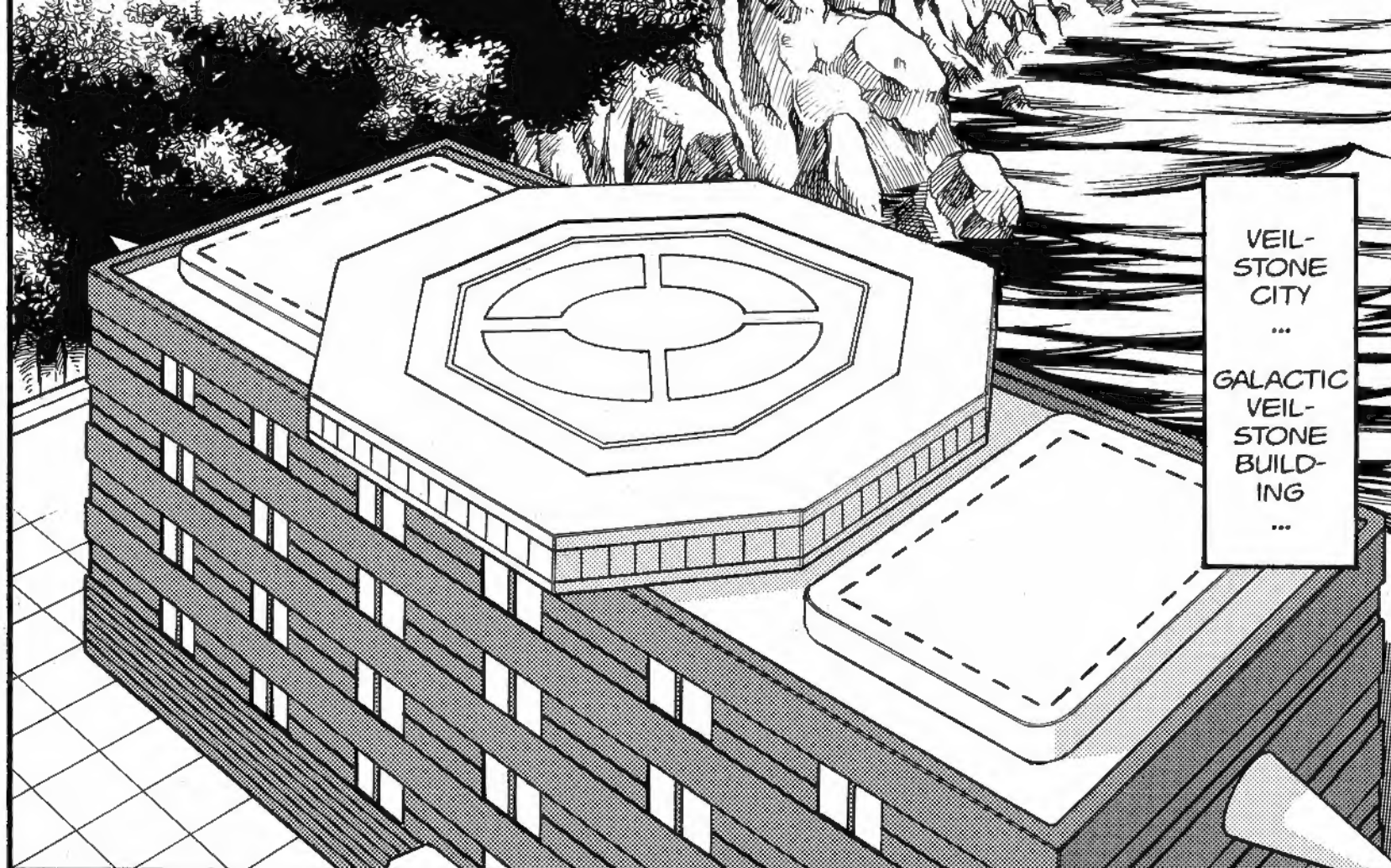


## Stopping Sableye

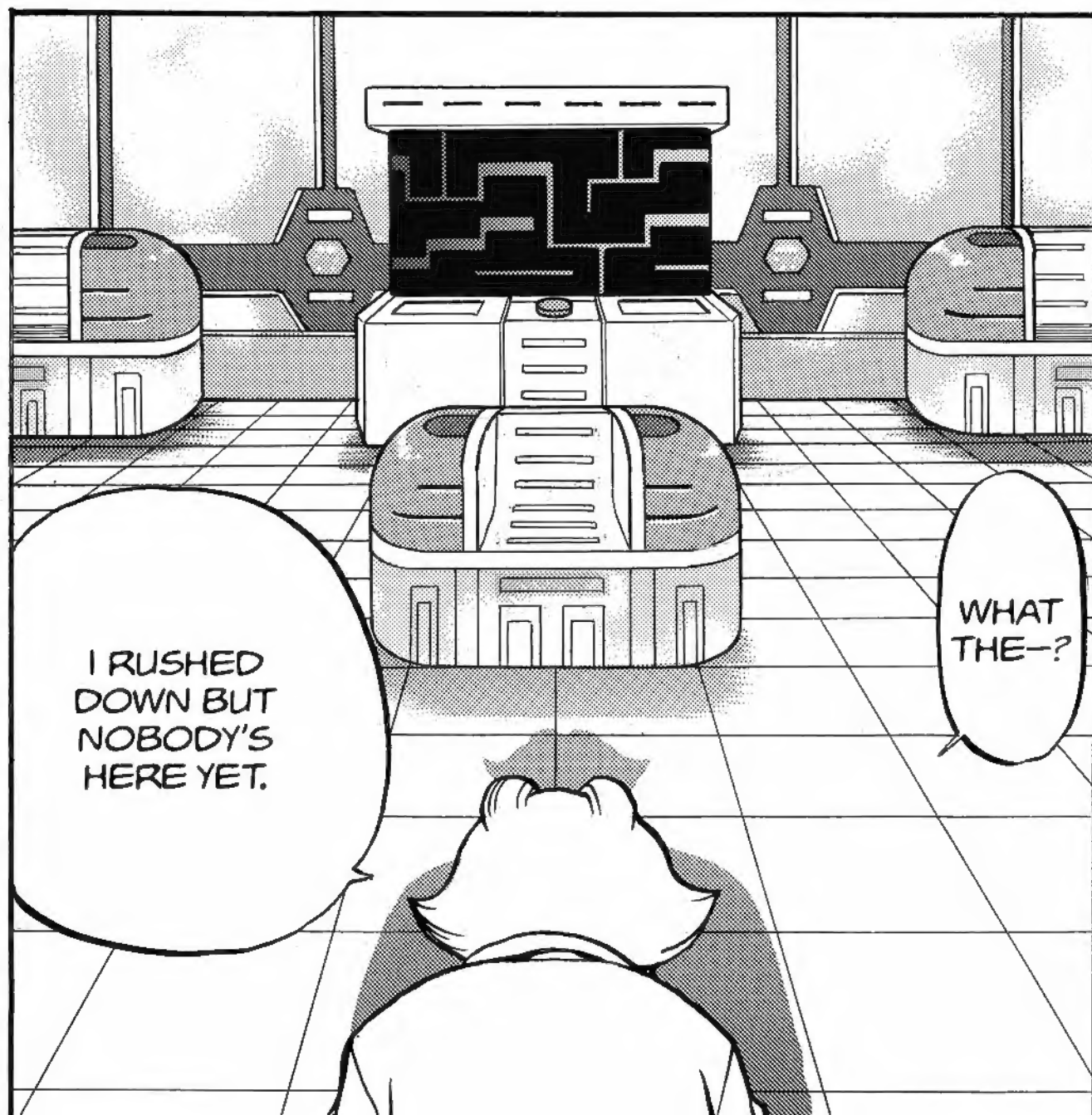
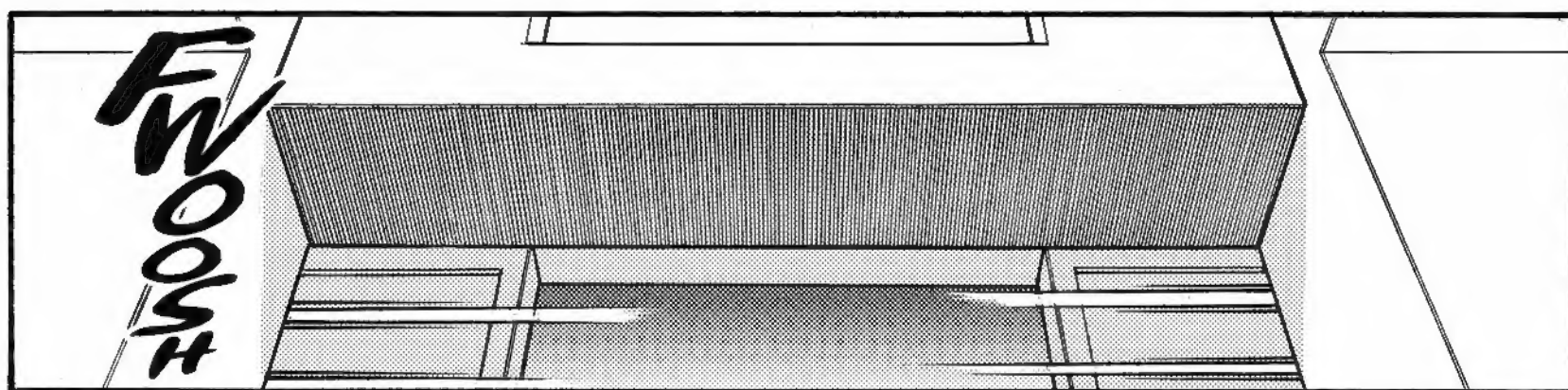


Stopping Sableye





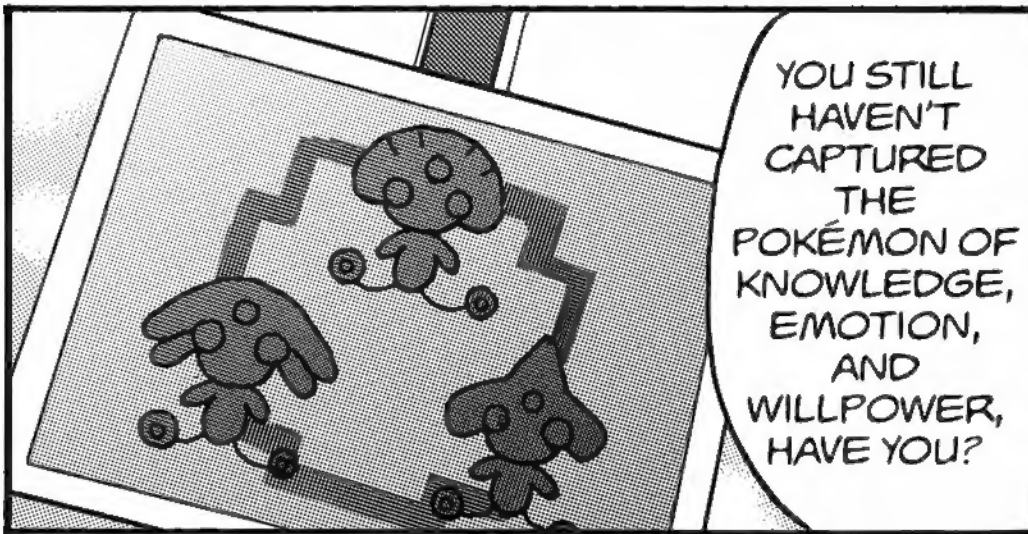
VEIL-  
STONE  
CITY  
...  
GALACTIC  
VEIL-  
STONE  
BUILD-  
ING  
...



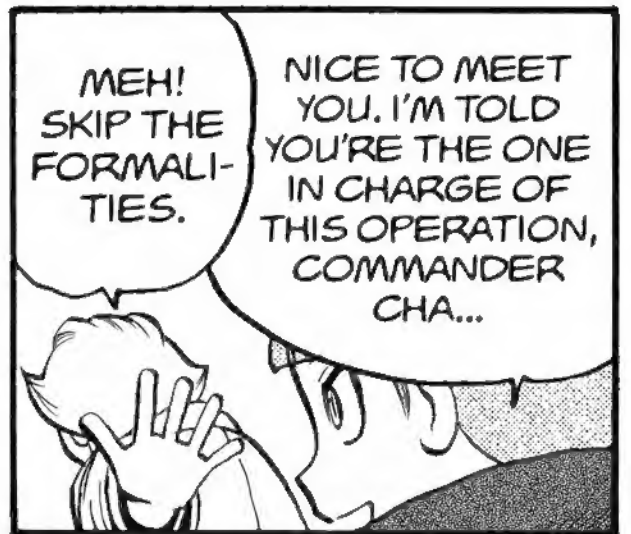
I RUSHED  
DOWN BUT  
NOBODY'S  
HERE YET.

WHAT  
THE--?





YOU STILL  
HAVEN'T  
CAPTURED  
THE  
POKÉMON OF  
KNOWLEDGE,  
EMOTION,  
AND  
WILLPOWER,  
HAVE YOU?



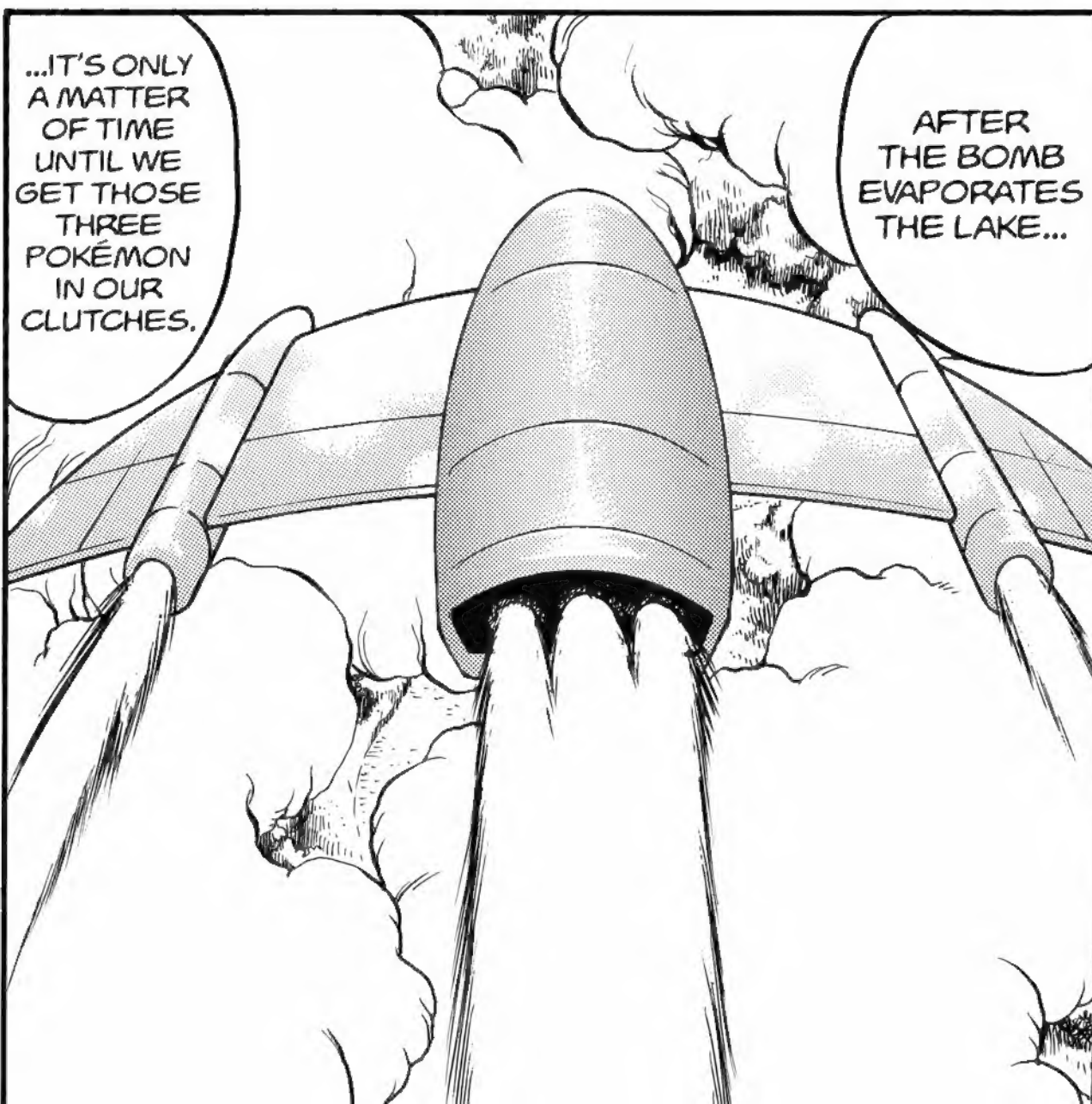
MEH!  
SKIP THE  
FORMALI-  
TIES.

NICE TO MEET  
YOU. I'M TOLD  
YOU'RE THE ONE  
IN CHARGE OF  
THIS OPERATION,  
COMMANDER  
CHA...



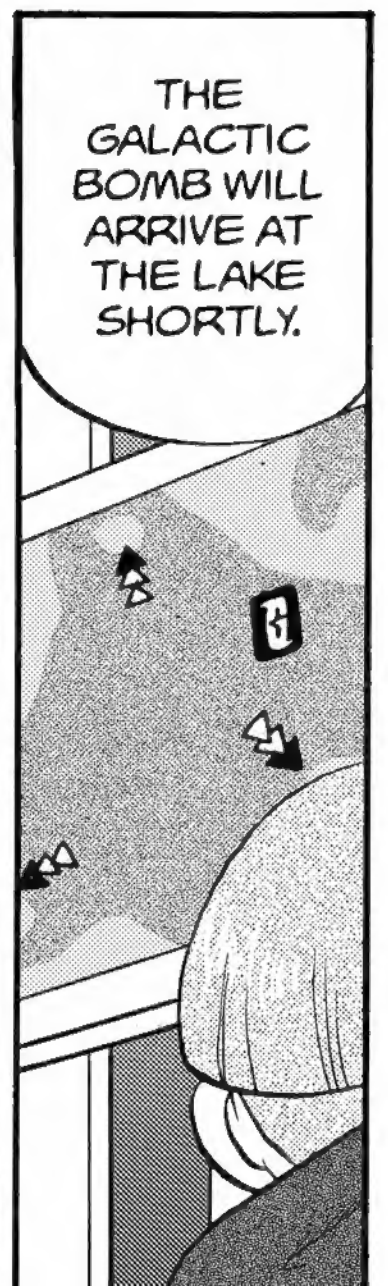
...WE CAN'T  
CREATE THE  
RED CHAIN  
THAT WILL FORCE  
DIALGA AND  
PALKIA TO OBEY  
US! DO YOU  
UNDERSTAND?!

IF  
WE DON'T  
HAVE THE  
CRYSTALS  
CREATED  
BY THOSE  
THREE...



...IT'S ONLY  
A MATTER  
OF TIME  
UNTIL WE  
GET THOSE  
THREE  
POKÉMON  
IN OUR  
CLUTCHES.

AFTER  
THE BOMB  
EVAPORATES  
THE LAKE...



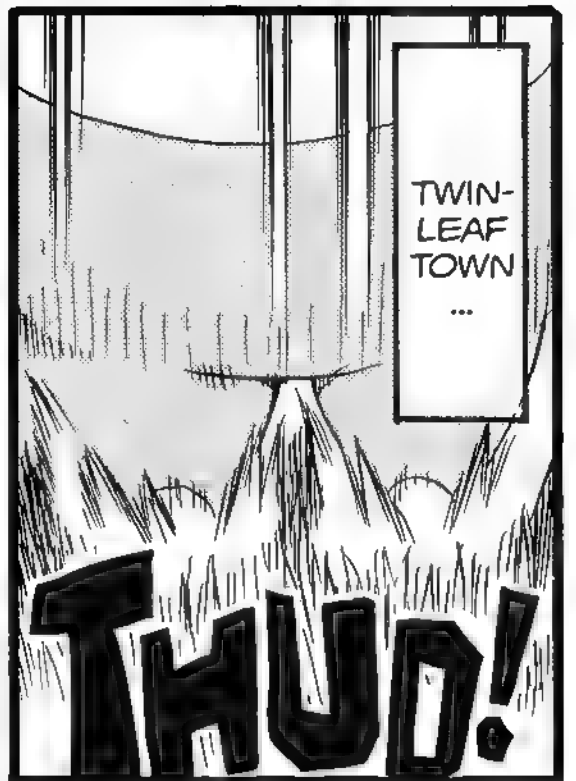
THE  
GALACTIC  
BOMB WILL  
ARRIVE AT  
THE LAKE  
SHORTLY.





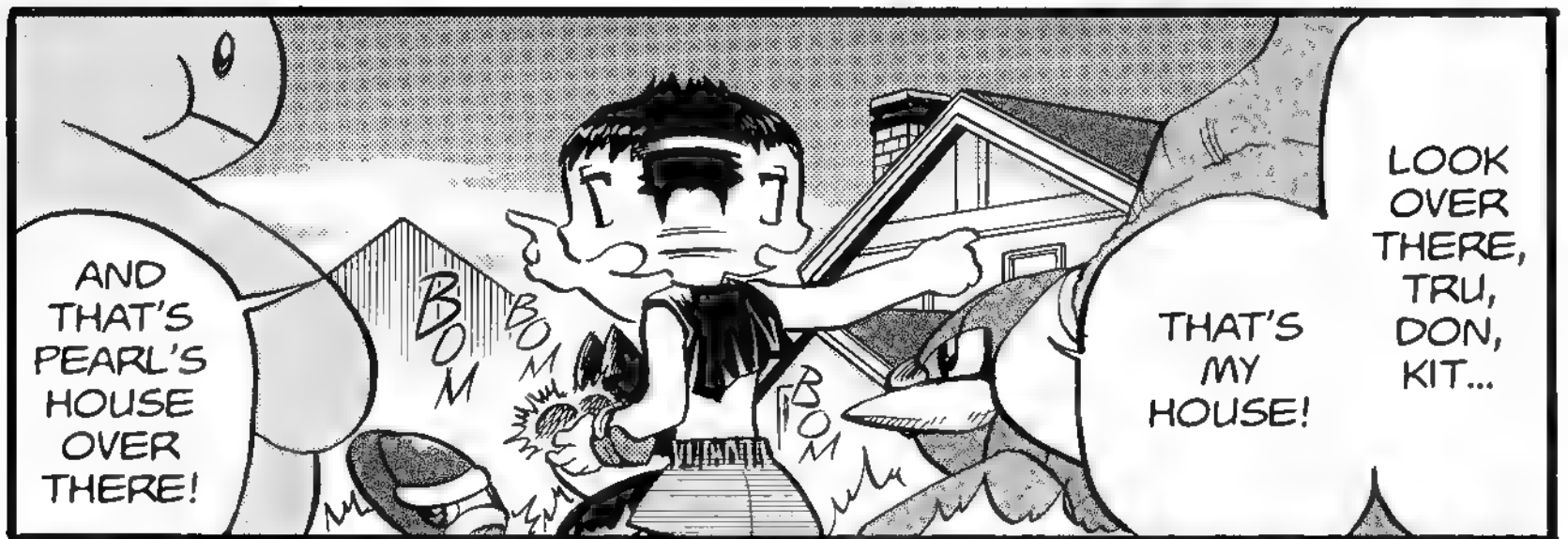
AND WE MADE GREAT TIME, THANKS TO YOU, KIT.

WE'RE HERE!



TWIN-LEAF TOWN ...

THUD!



AND THAT'S PEARL'S HOUSE OVER THERE!

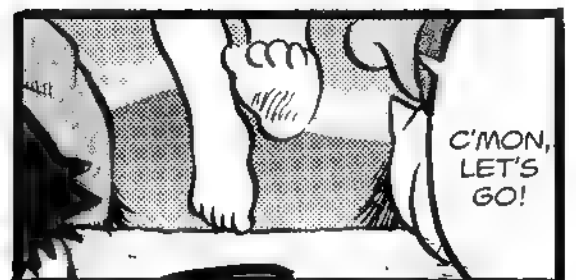
THAT'S MY HOUSE!

LOOK OVER THERE, TRU, DON, KIT...

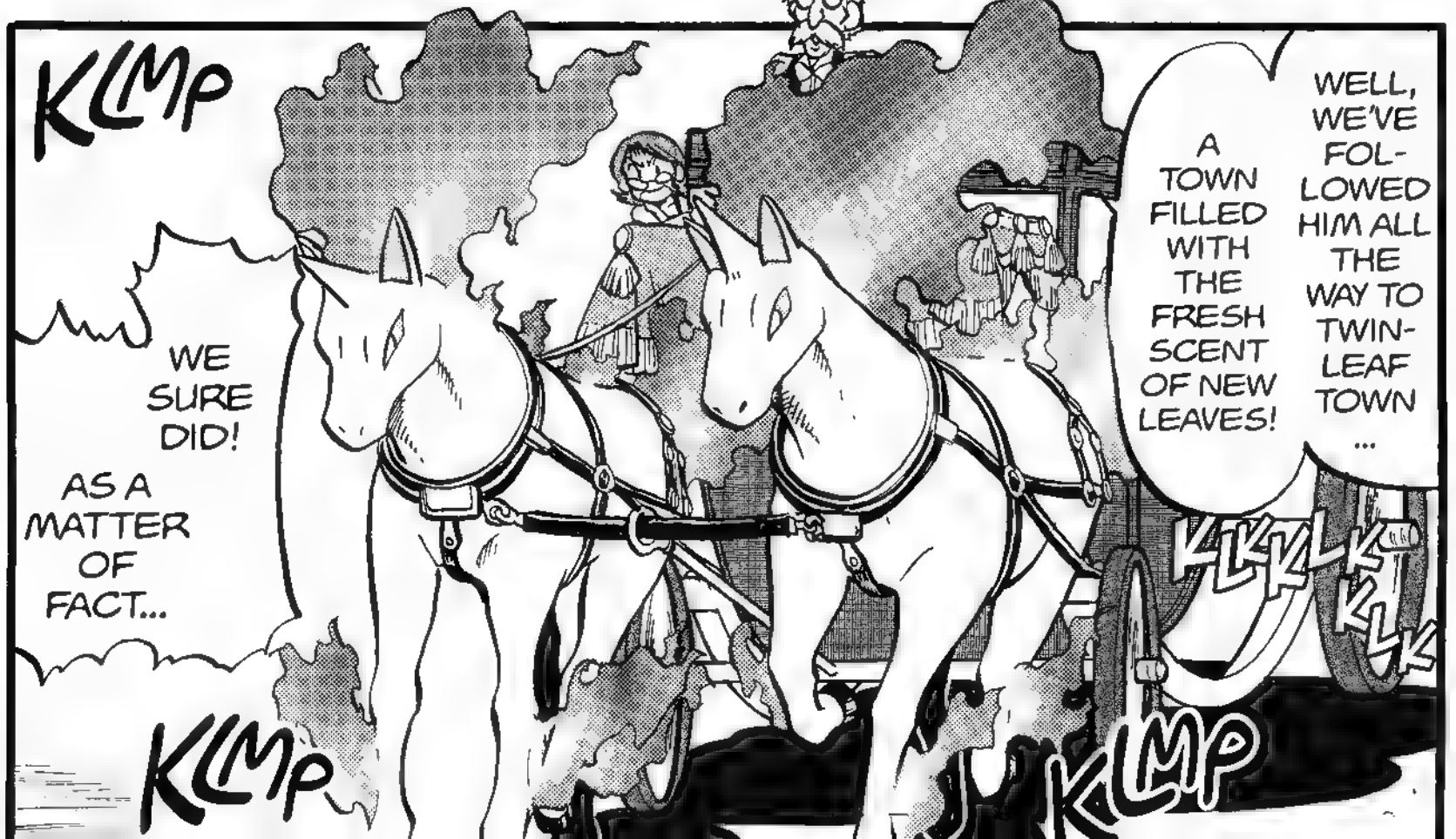


HEY !!

YOUNG MASTER DIAMOND!



C'MON, LET'S GO!



KLMP

WE SURE DID!

AS A MATTER OF FACT...

KLMP

A TOWN FILLED WITH THE FRESH SCENT OF NEW LEAVES!

WELL, WE'VE FOLLOWED HIM ALL THE WAY TO TWIN-LEAF TOWN ...

KZKZKZKZ

KLMP



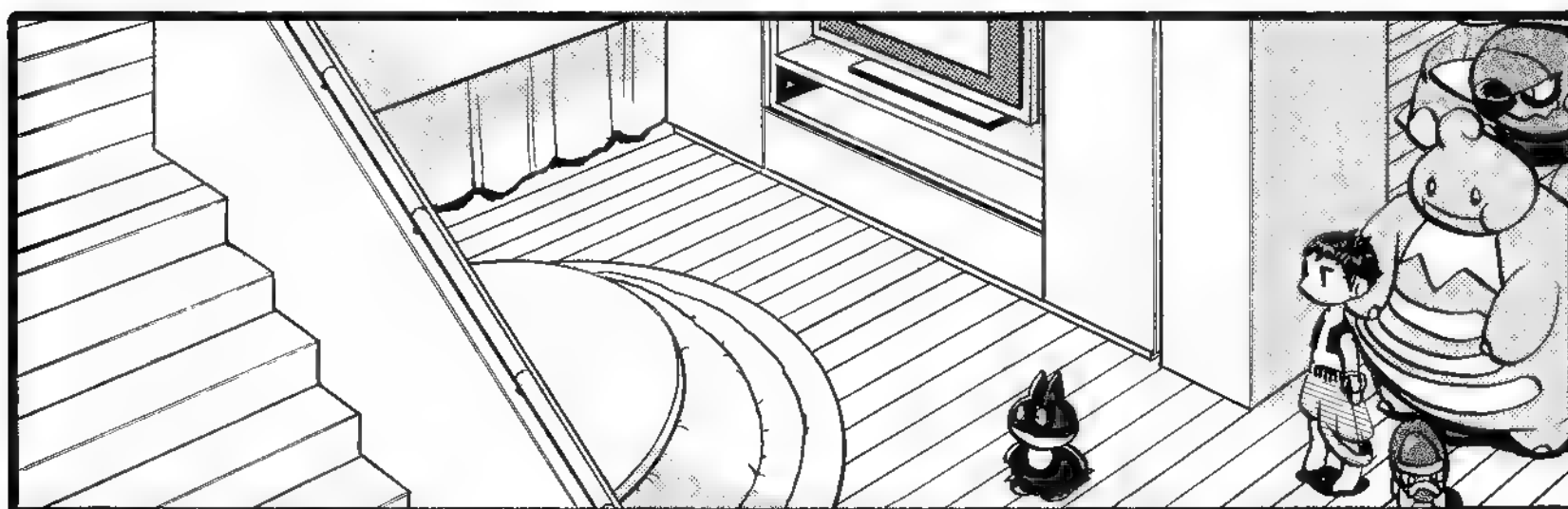
HI!  
I'M  
HO-  
OME!



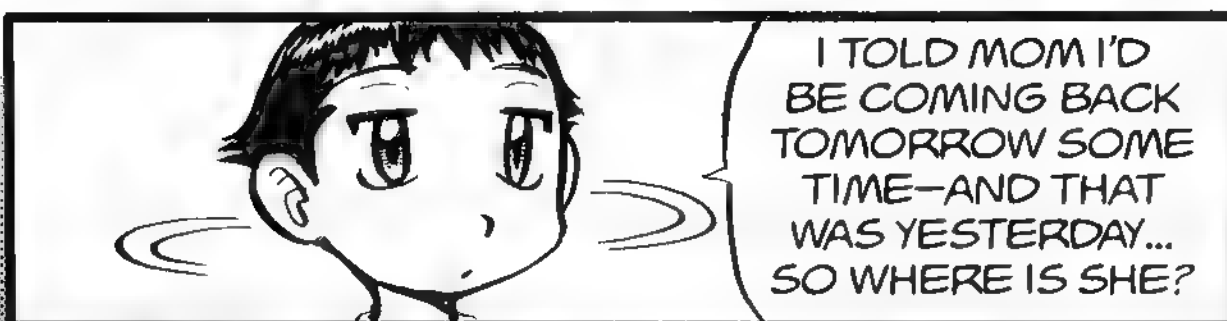
...AFTER  
FINDING  
OUT...

...I FELT  
COMPELLED  
TO COME...

...  
ABOUT  
THE  
DANGER  
THE  
SINNOH  
REGION  
IS IN!!



HUH?  
?



I TOLD MOM I'D  
BE COMING BACK  
TOMORROW SOME  
TIME-AND THAT  
WAS YESTERDAY...  
SO WHERE IS SHE?



I'M SO  
EXCITED  
THAT YOU  
WON A  
CONTEST  
ON TV!

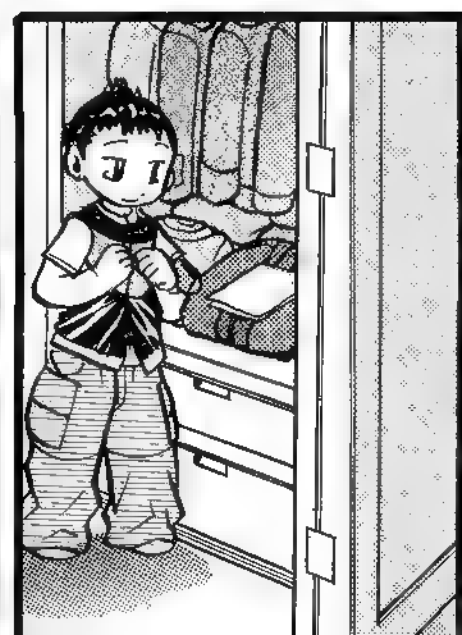
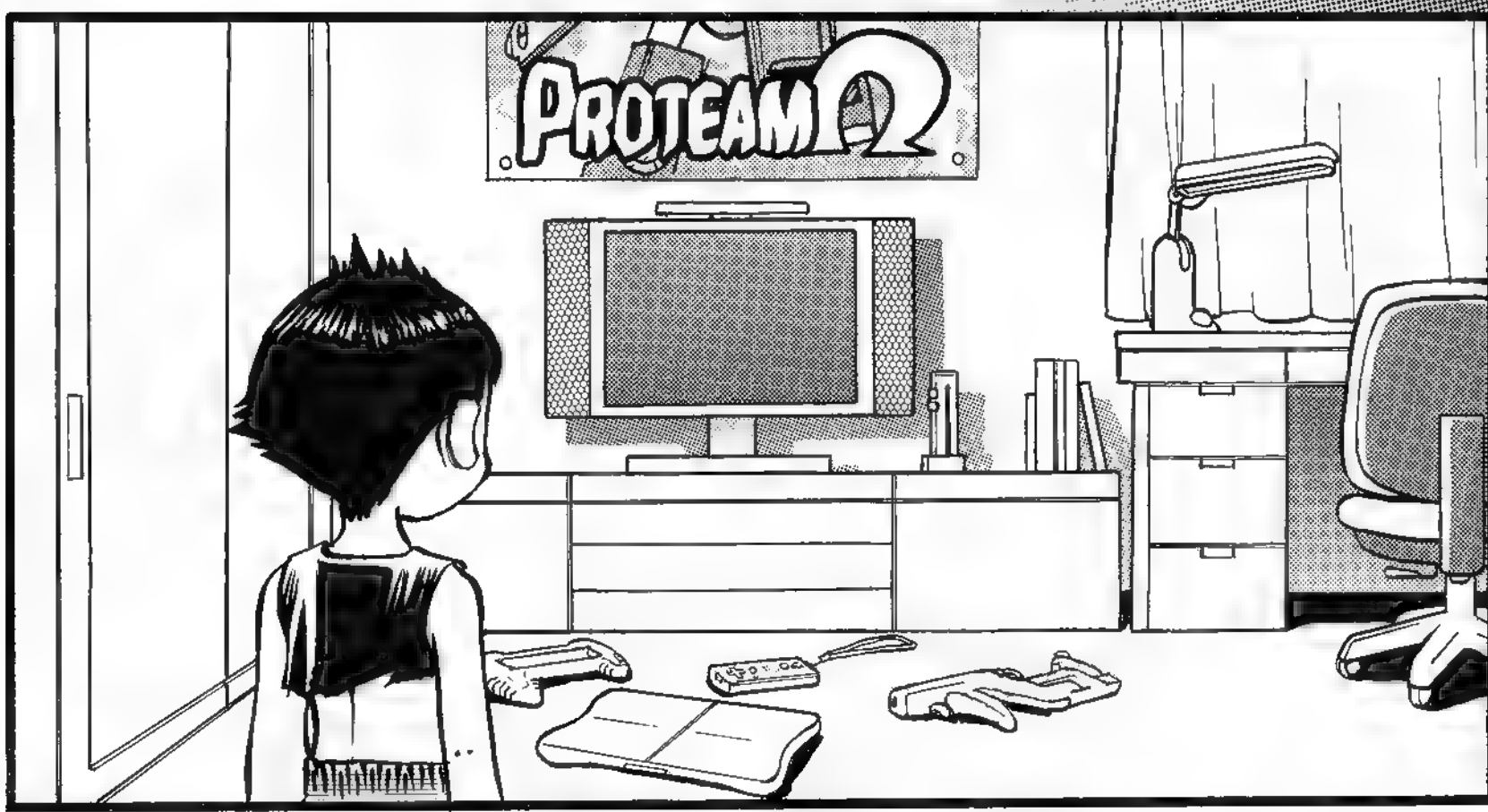
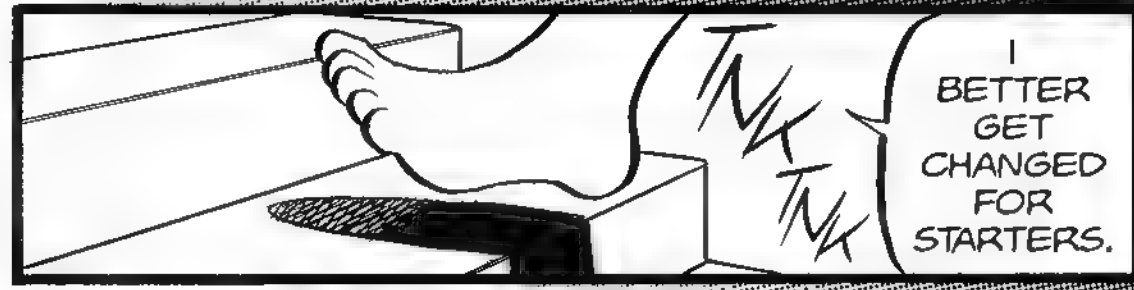
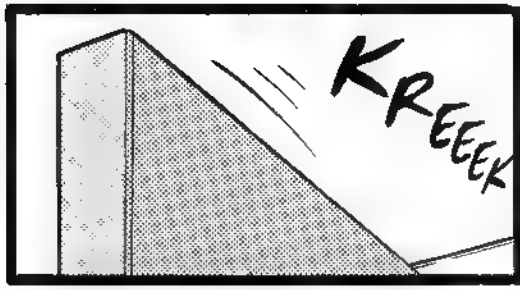


I SAW  
YOU, DIA!  
THAT'S MY  
BOY!! YOU  
LOOKED  
GREAT  
ON TV!



I HAVEN'T TOLD HER WHAT  
WE'RE REALLY DOING YET.  
SHE STILL THINKS WE'RE ON  
A TRIP WE GOT AS A PRIZE  
FOR WINNING THE SPECIAL  
MERIT AWARD AT THE COMEDY  
GRAND PRIX.





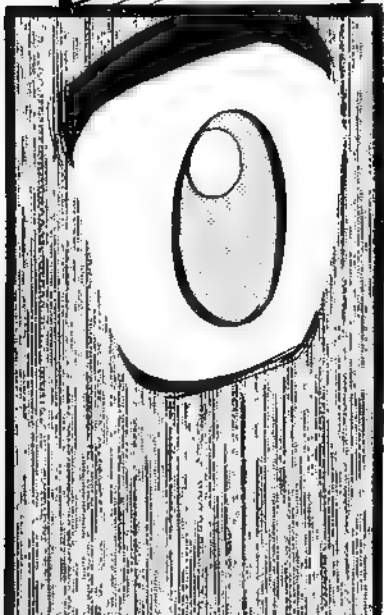


Welcome home!  
It's been rather  
chilly lately, so  
I bought you  
a new jacket.  
It's very warm.

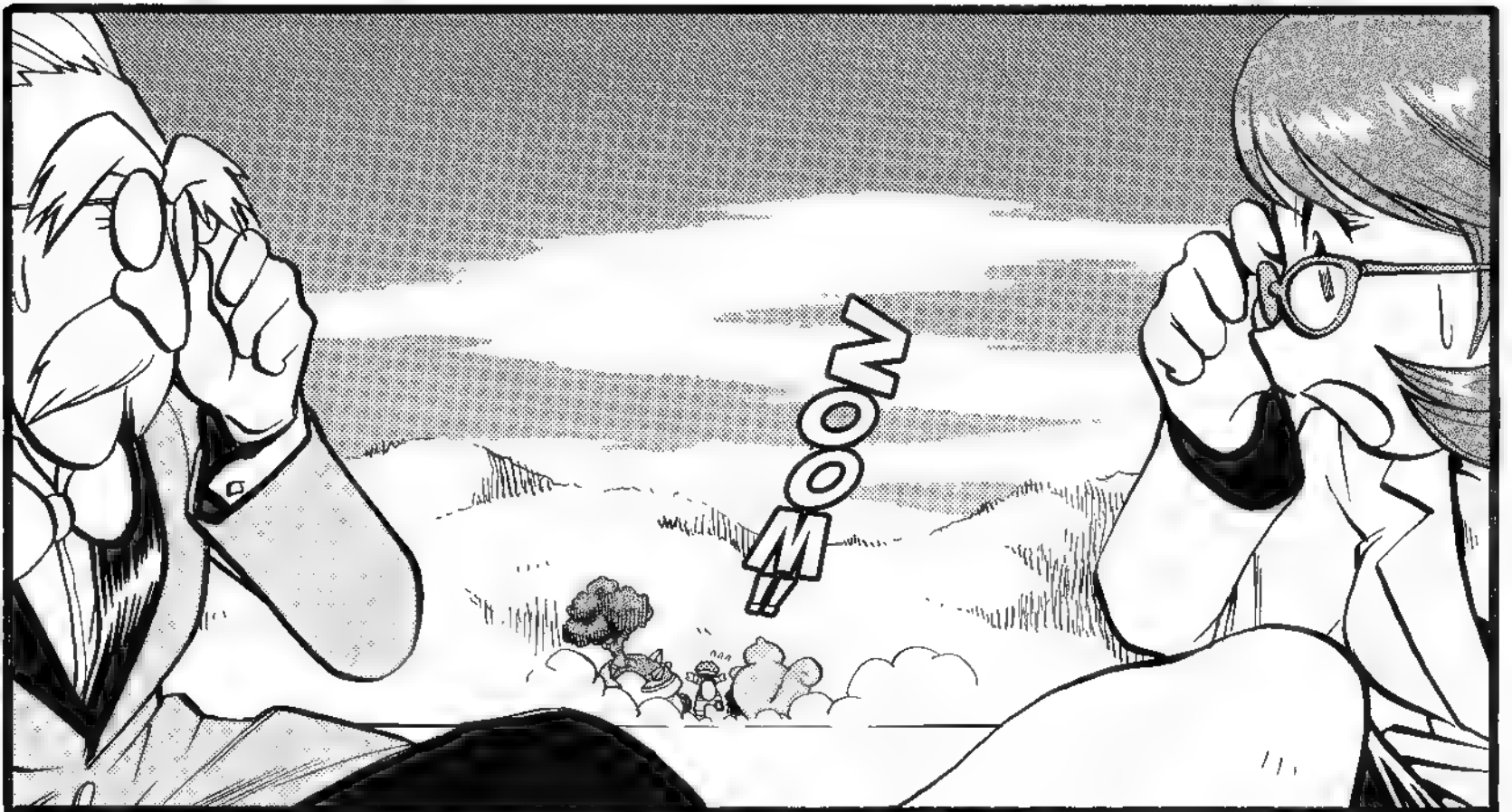
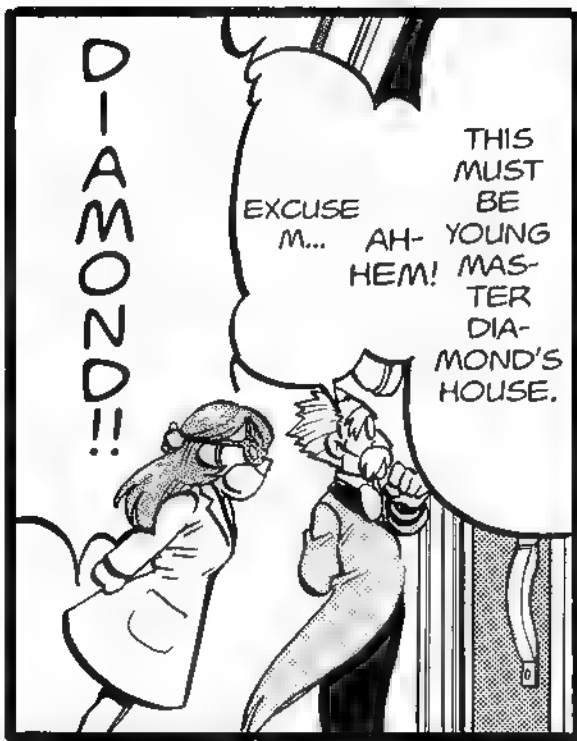
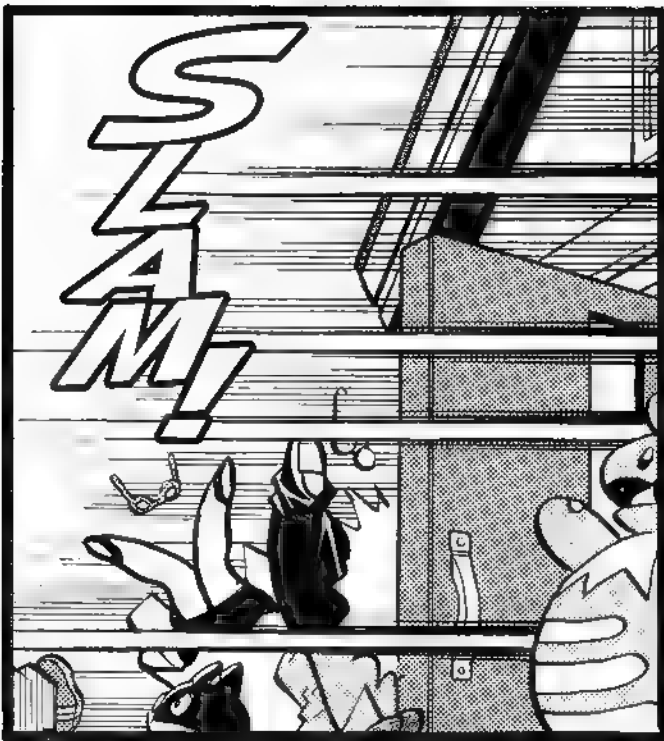


And since you're  
back, I've decided  
to cook ten servings  
of my special grilled  
berries!! I'm going  
down to Lake Verity  
now to pick the  
ingredients

And since you're  
back, I've decided  
to cook ten servings  
of my special gr  
berries!! I'm goin  
down to Lake Verit  
pick the  
ingredients.



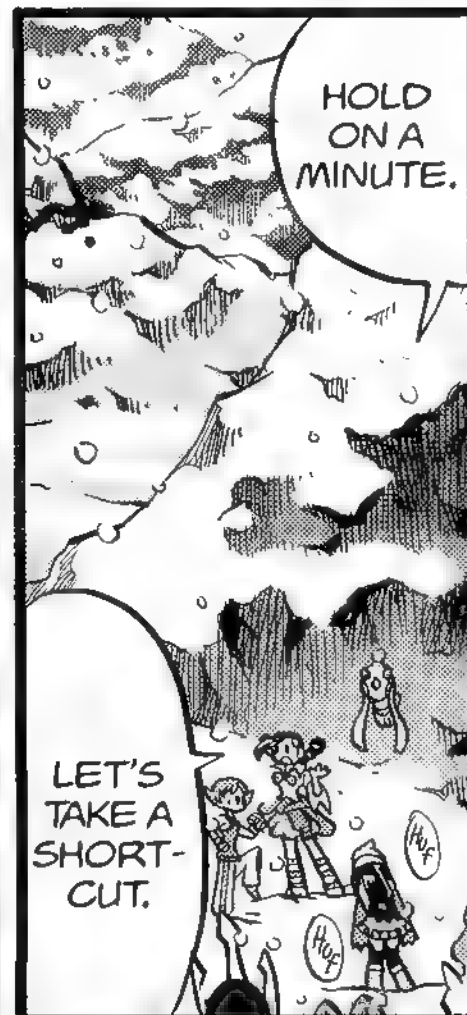




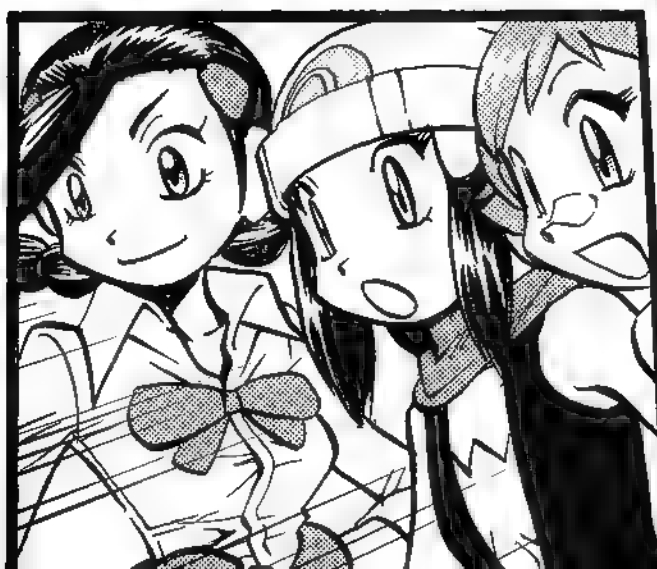
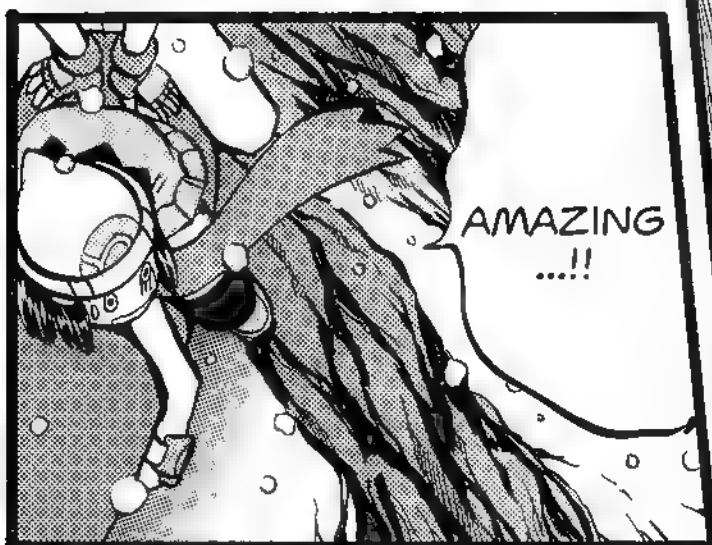
...IN THE  
NORTHERN-  
MOST  
AREA  
OF THE  
SINNOH  
REGION...

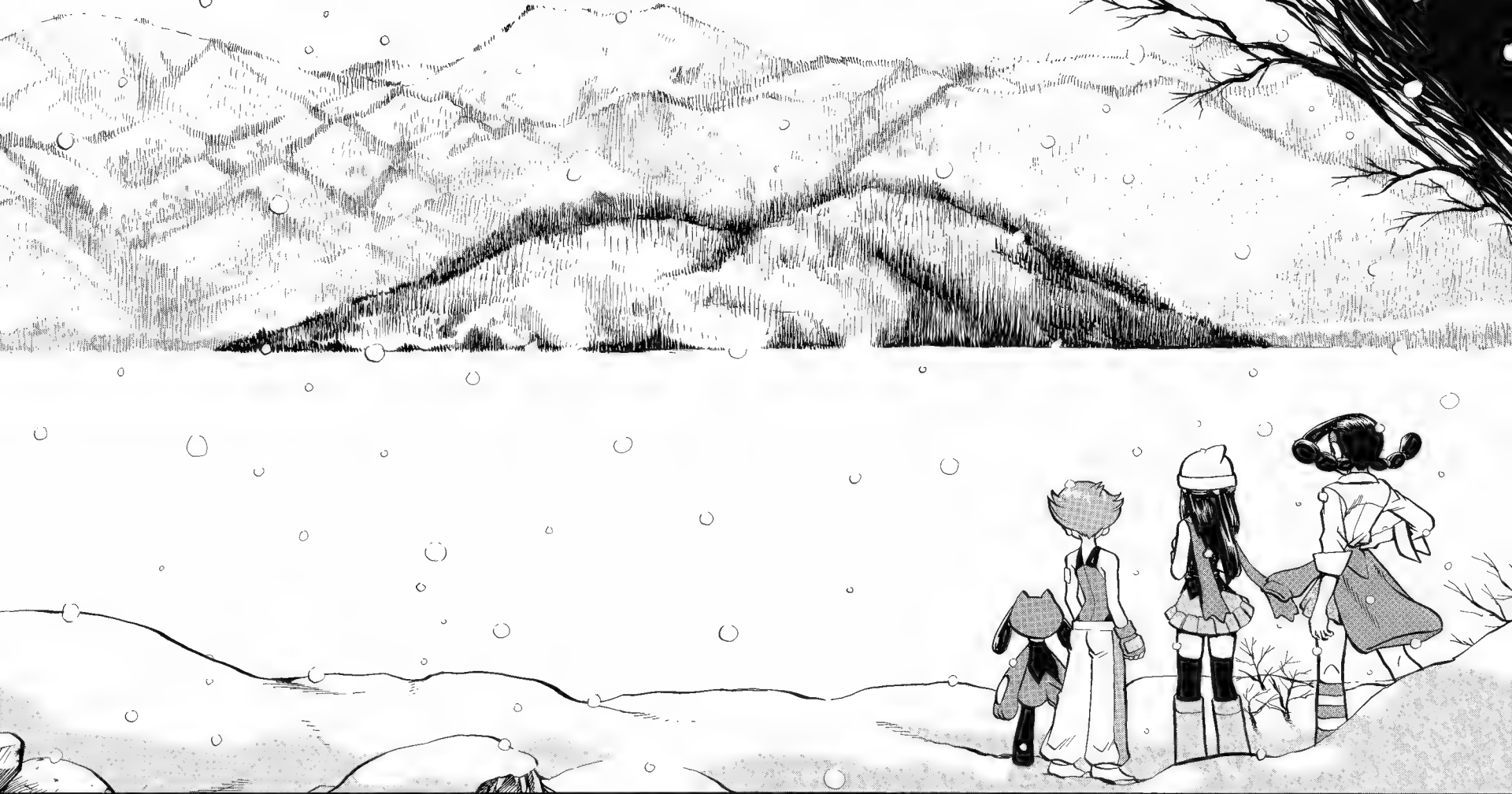
NEAR LAKE  
ACUITY...

MEAN-  
WHILE  
...









LAKE ACUITY...  
I WONDER  
WHAT IT'S  
LIKE THERE.



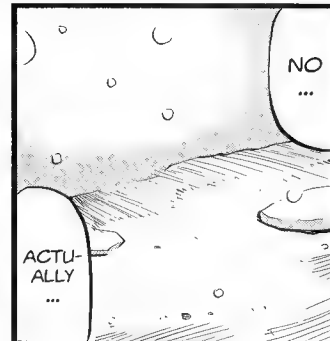
AND  
YOU'RE  
GOING  
TO LAKE  
ACUITY.

DIA IS  
GOING  
TO LAKE  
VERITY...

PEARL IS  
GOING  
TO LAKE  
VALOR...

...WHEN I  
TALKED  
WITH MY  
FATHER  
THE OTHER  
DAY IN  
CANALAVE  
CITY...

I  
THOUGHT  
IT WOULD  
BE MY  
FIRST  
TIME,  
BUT...



ACTU-  
ALLY  
...

NO  
...



THIS  
YOUR  
FIRST  
TIME  
HERE?

SO  
THIS IS  
LAKE  
ACUITY  
...





...I'VE  
BEEN  
TO LAKE  
ACUITY  
BEFORE?

YOU  
MEAN  
...



OH...  
I SUPPOSE  
YOU DON'T  
REMEMBER.  
YOU WERE  
JUST A LITTLE  
GIRL AFTER  
ALL...

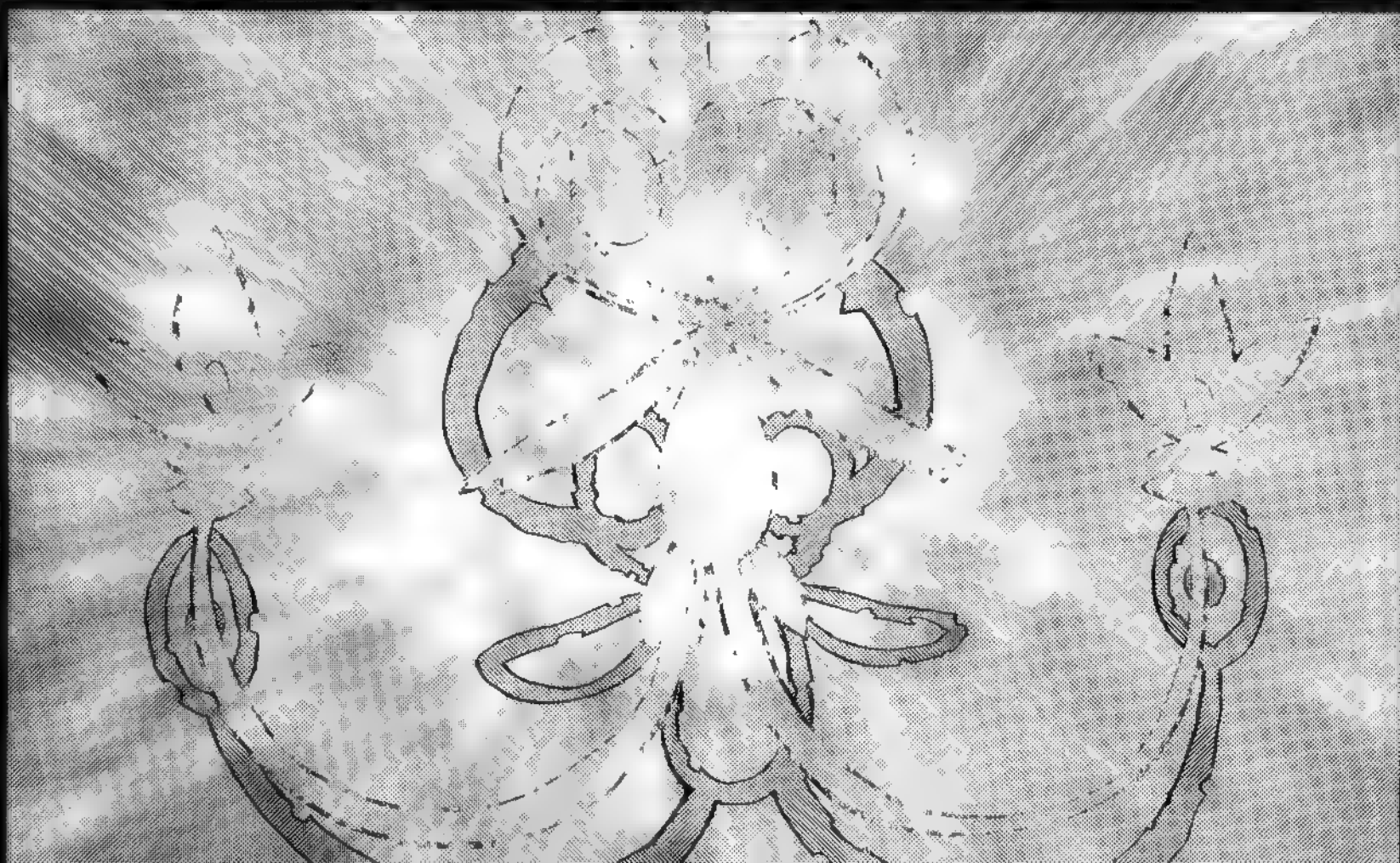


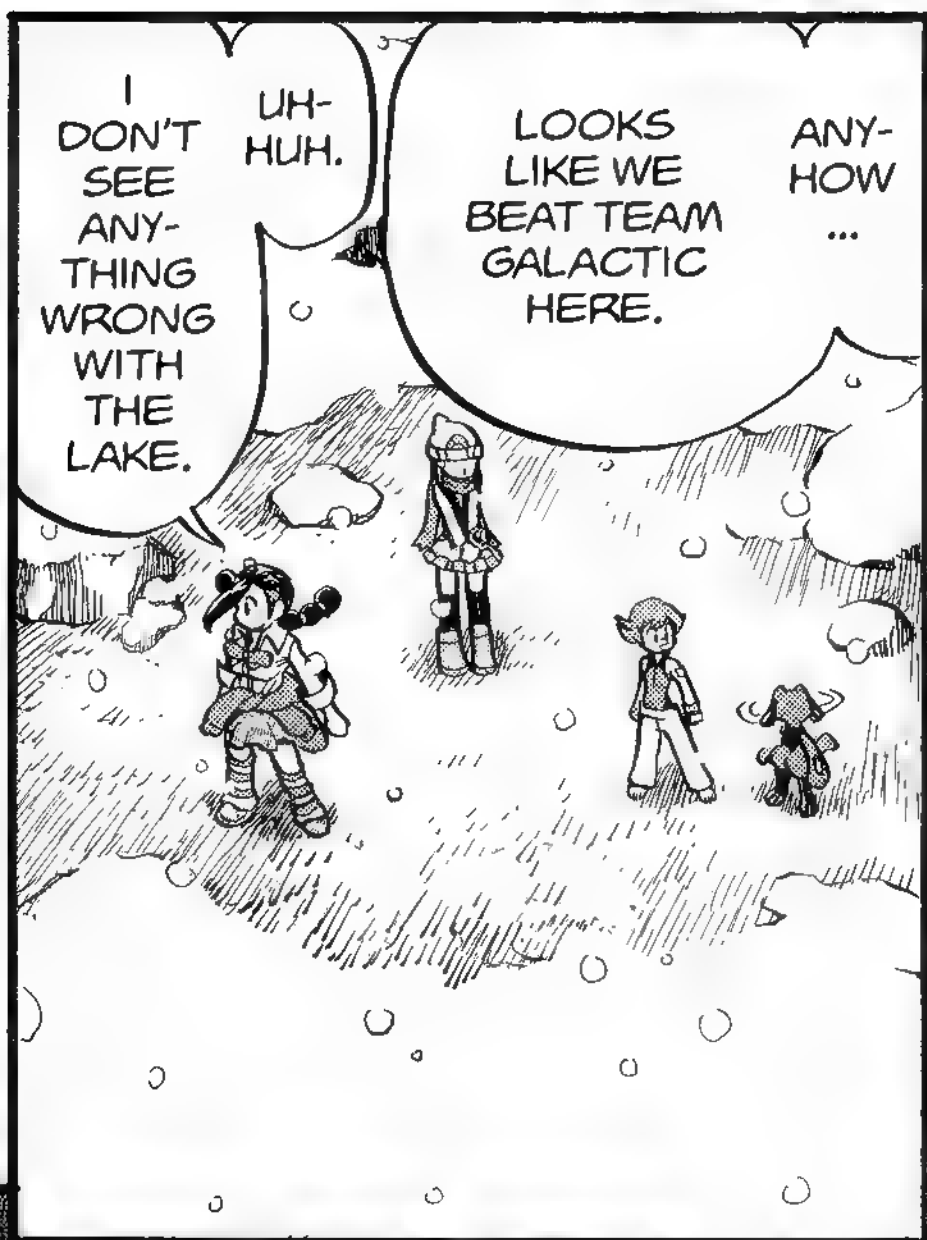
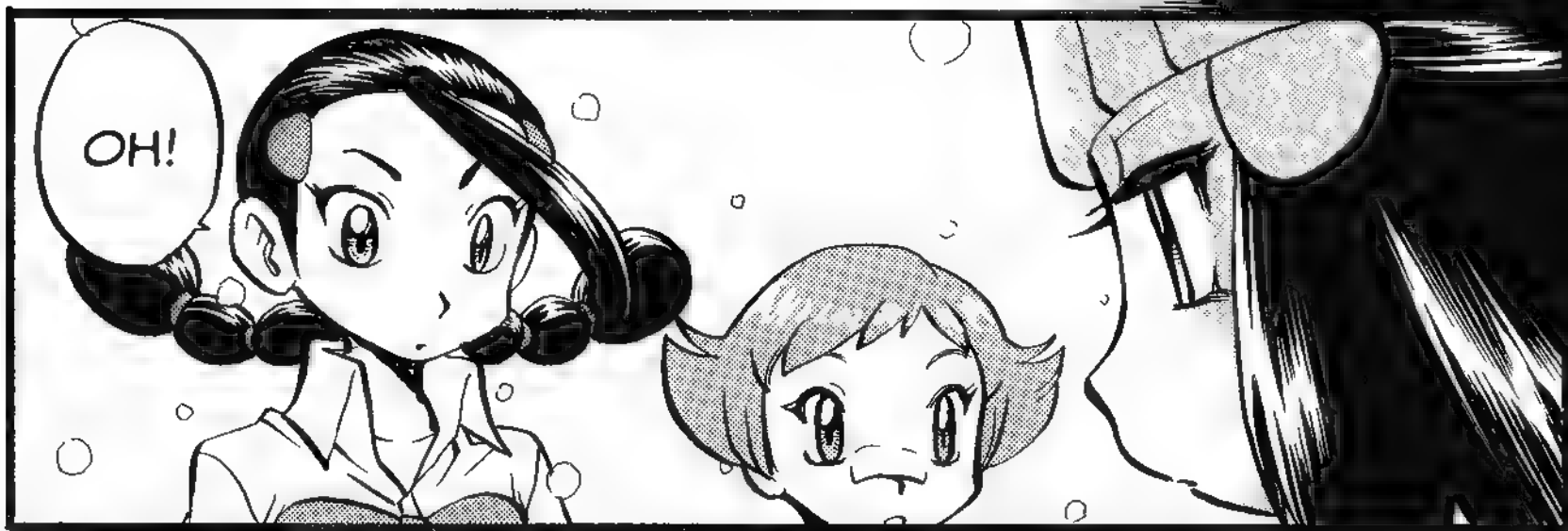
...YOU WENT  
MISSING FOR  
A SHORT  
TIME BY THE  
LAKE.



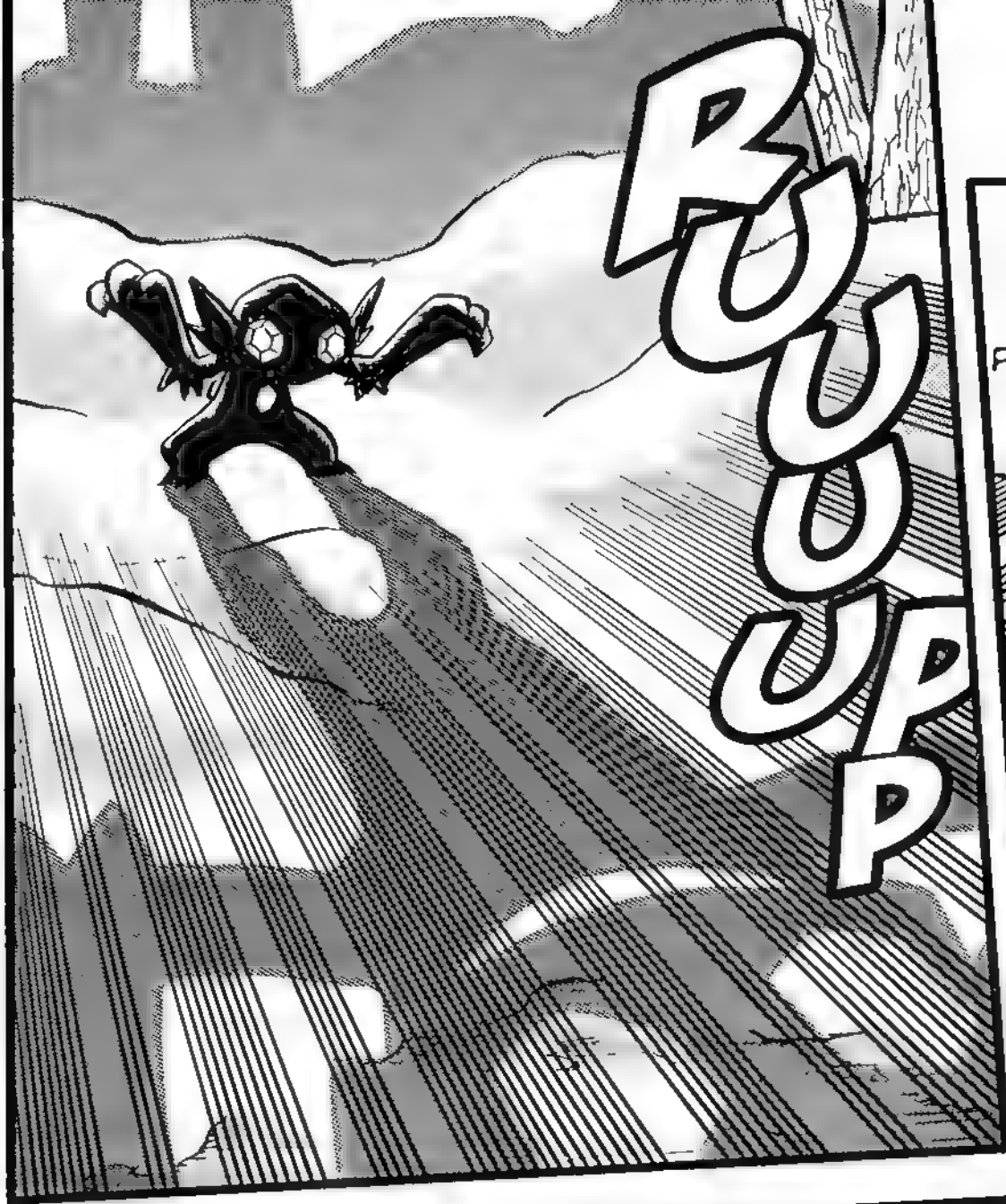
I REMEM-  
BER IT WELL  
BECAUSE  
I WAS SO  
DISTRAUGHT  
WHEN...

YOU  
CERTAINLY  
HAVE. WE  
WENT THERE  
TO STUDY THE  
DISTRIBUTION  
OF POKÉMON  
IN THAT  
HABITAT.









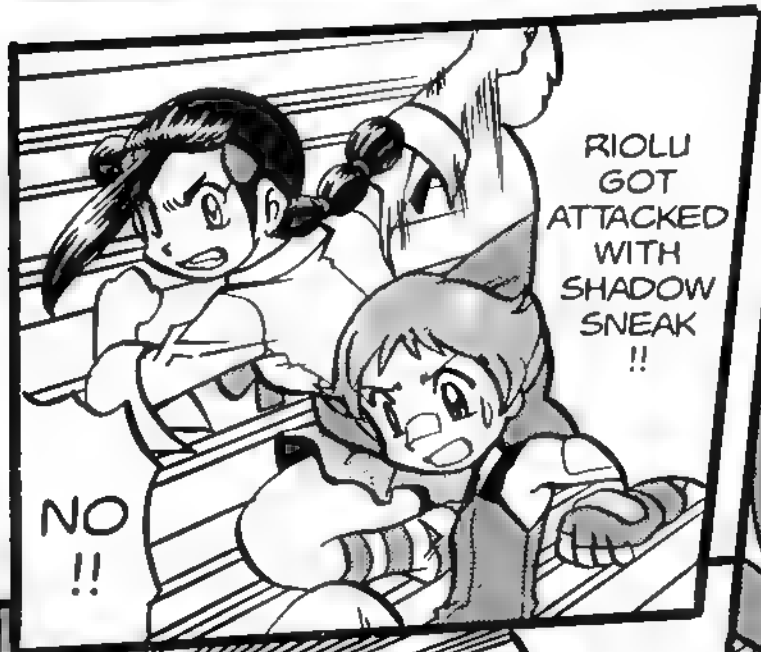
R  
U  
U  
P  
P



RIOLU  
!!

IT'S A  
SABLEYE—  
THE DARK-  
NESS  
POKÉMON  
!!

F  
V  
O  
O  
M  
!!

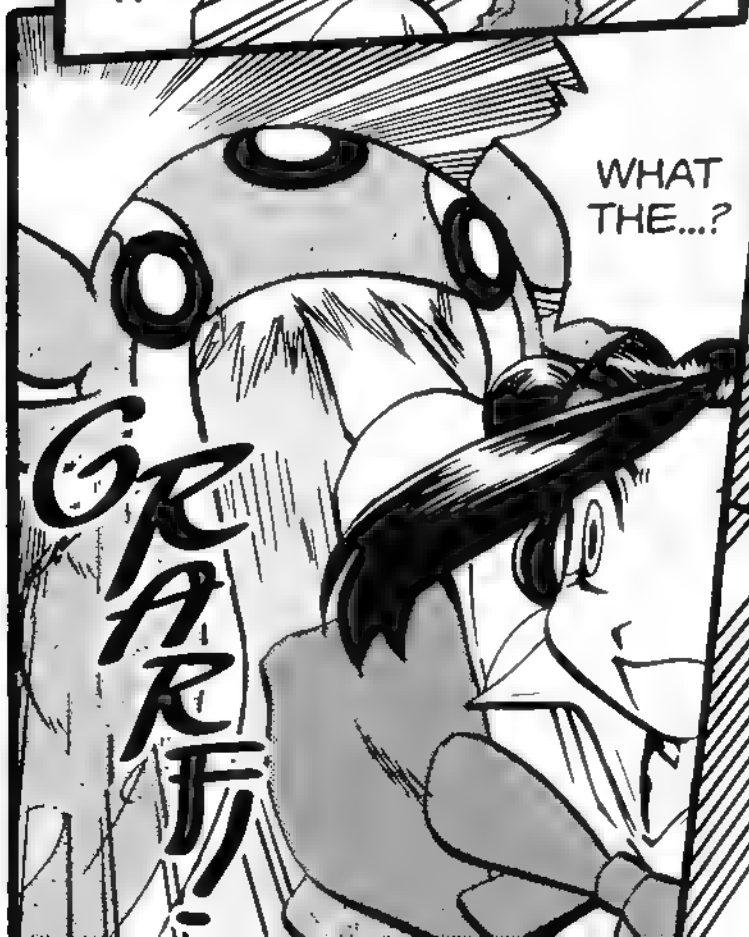


RIOLU  
GOT  
ATTACKED  
WITH  
SHADOW  
SNEAK  
!!

NO  
!!

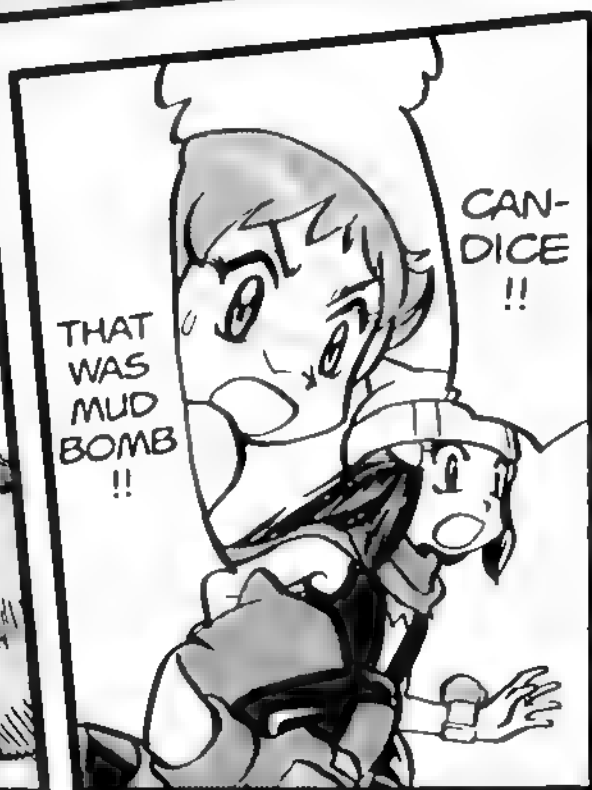
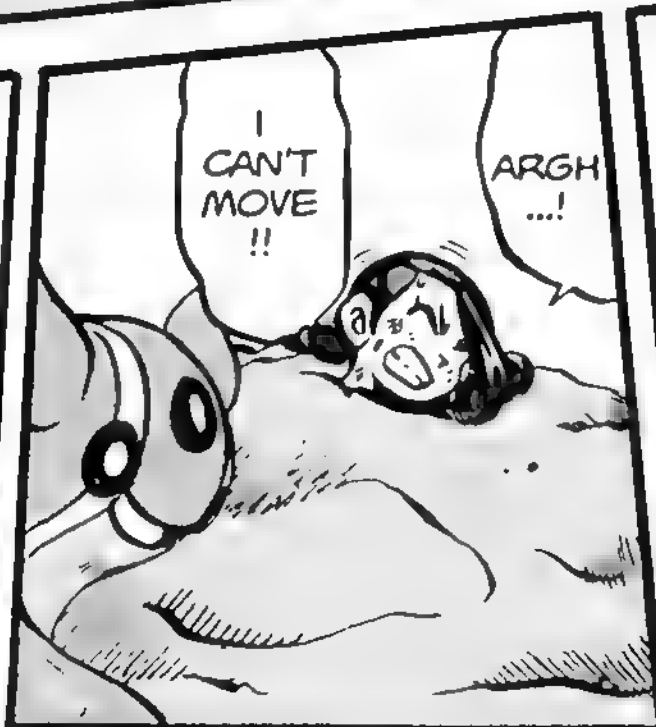


M  
A  
K



WHAT  
THE...?

G  
R  
A  
R  
F  
!!





...WHY DON'T  
YOU STAY AND  
WATCH WHAT'S  
ABOUT TO  
BEFALL THIS  
LAKE.

KRUNG

BUT  
SINCE  
YOU'VE  
COME  
ALL THIS  
WAY...

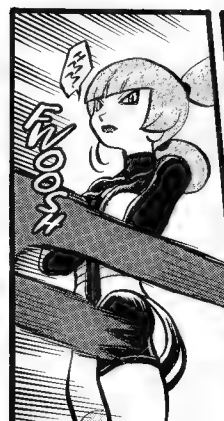
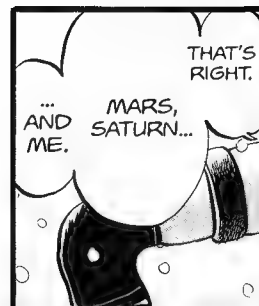
IT'S  
TIME  
YOU MET  
YOUR  
MATCH!

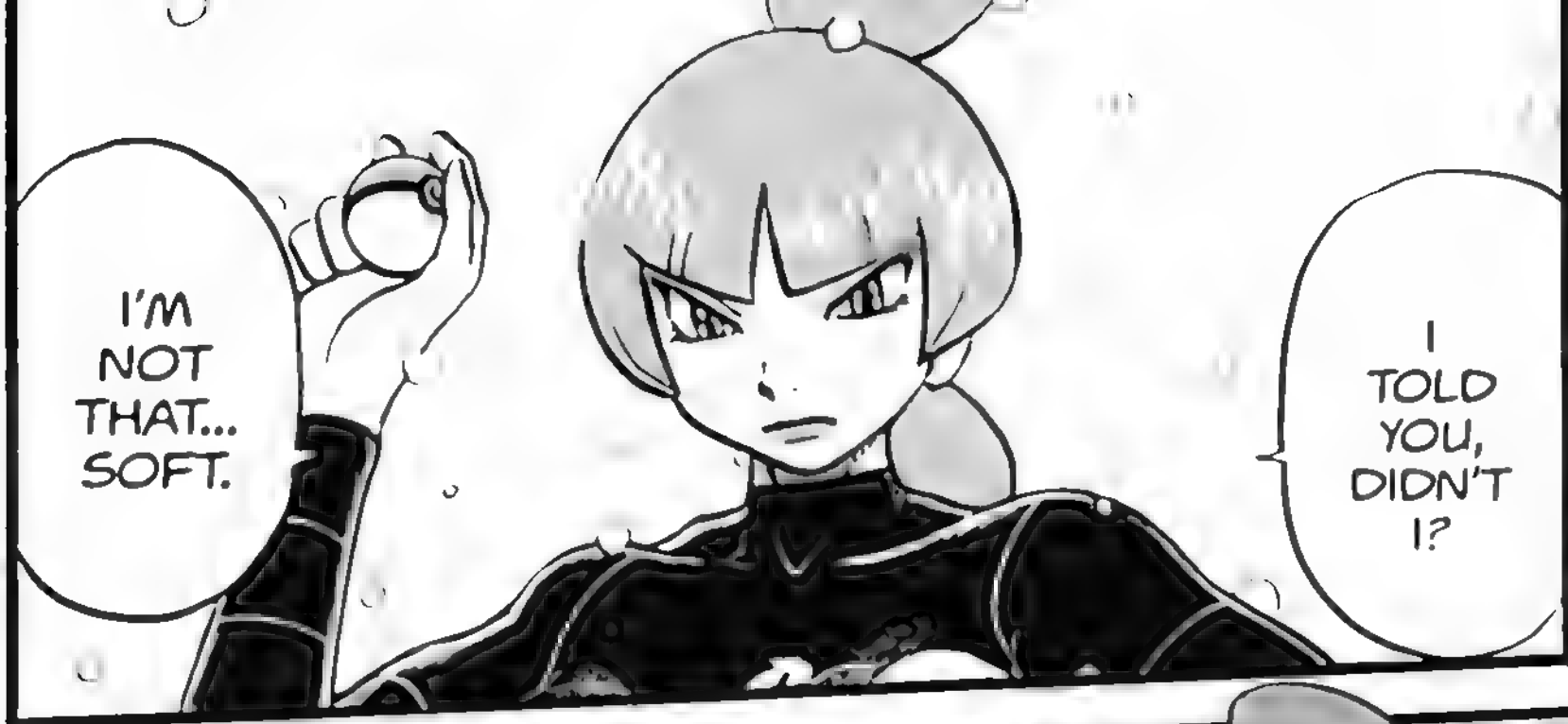
I'M  
COMMANDER  
JUPITER  
OF TEAM  
GALACTIC.

# Getting Past Gastrodon



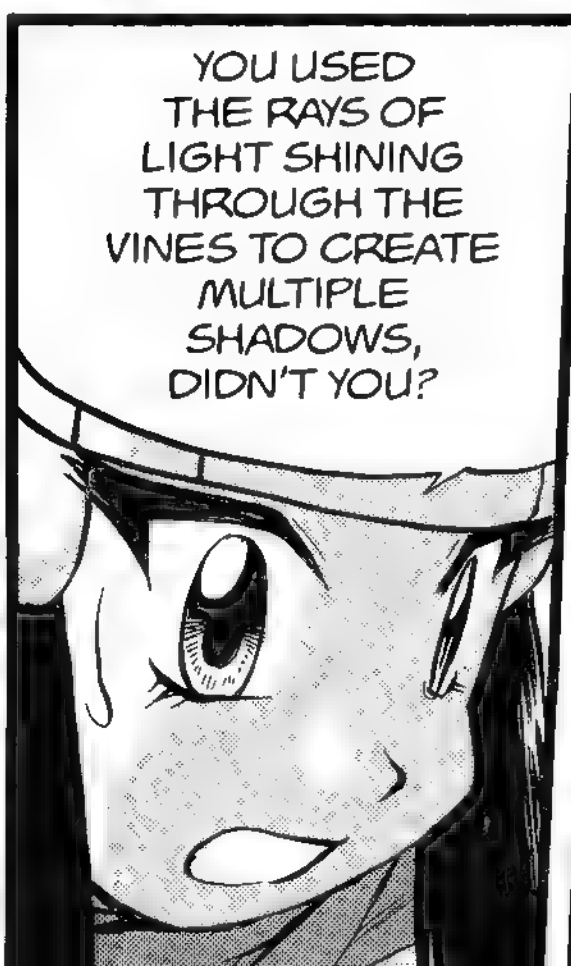
















...HAVE  
YOUR  
OWN  
WAY!!

DON'T  
THINK  
WE'RE  
GOING  
TO KEEP  
LETTING  
YOU...



GO,  
ABOMA-  
SNOW!!

NOT  
BAD  
AT  
ALL  
...

IMPRES-  
SIVE. YOU  
MANAGED  
TO OPEN  
A POKÉ  
BALL EVEN  
THOUGH  
YOUR  
FINGERS  
WERE  
STUCK IN  
THE MUD.



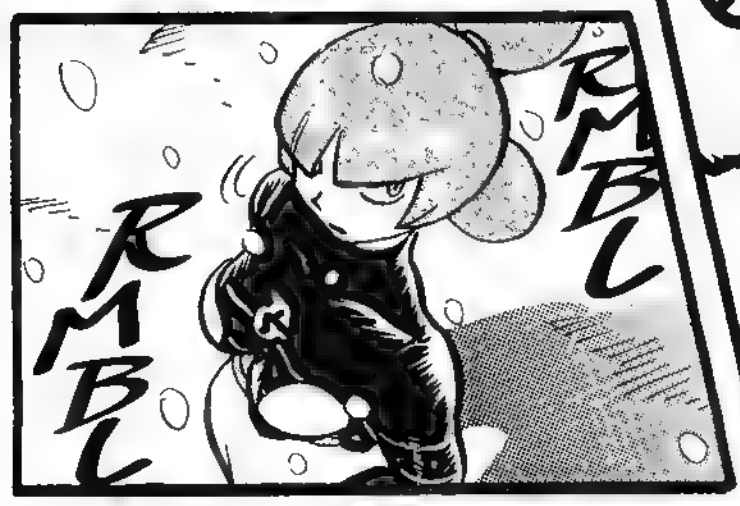




AH!!



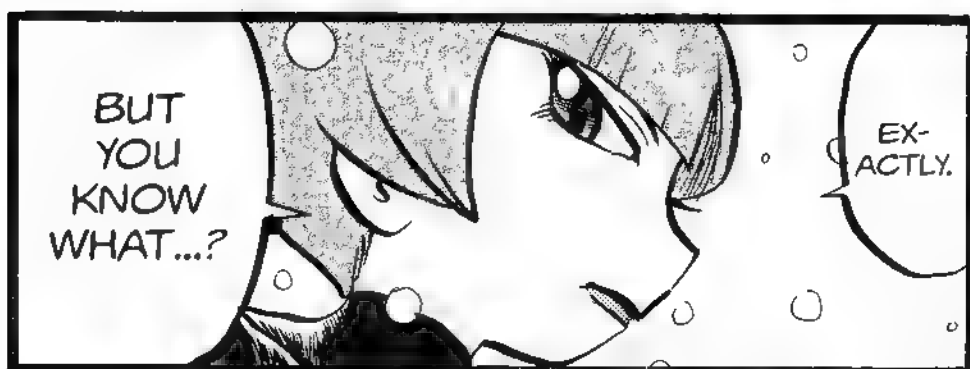
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JUST WHEN THINGS WERE STARTING TO GET INTERESTING...

THEY'RE HERE.

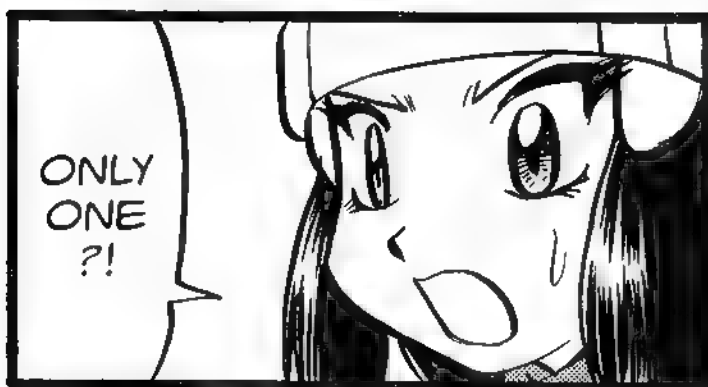


BUT YOU KNOW WHAT...?

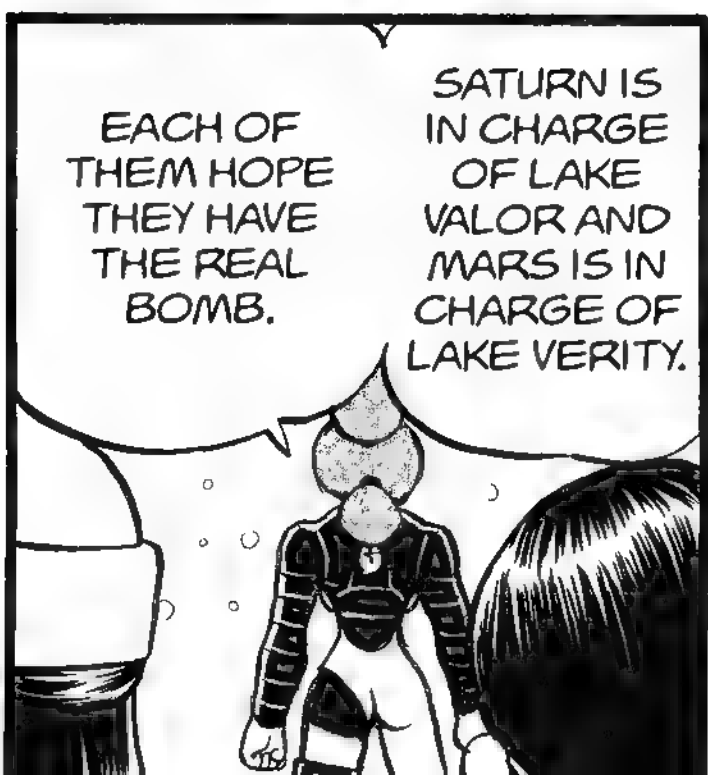
EX-  
ACTLY.



IS THAT...?!



ONLY ONE ?!



EACH OF THEM HOPE THEY HAVE THE REAL BOMB.

SATURN IS IN CHARGE OF LAKE VALOR AND MARS IS IN CHARGE OF LAKE VERITY.



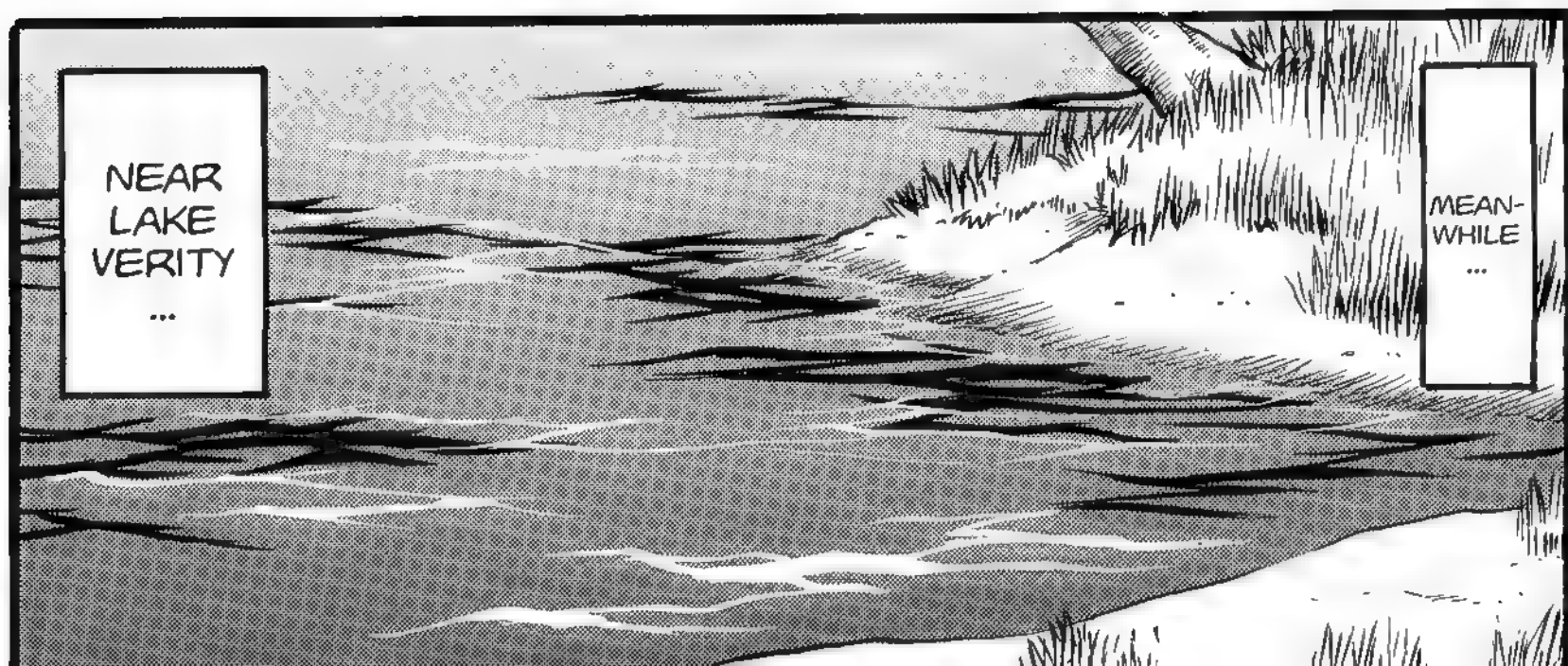
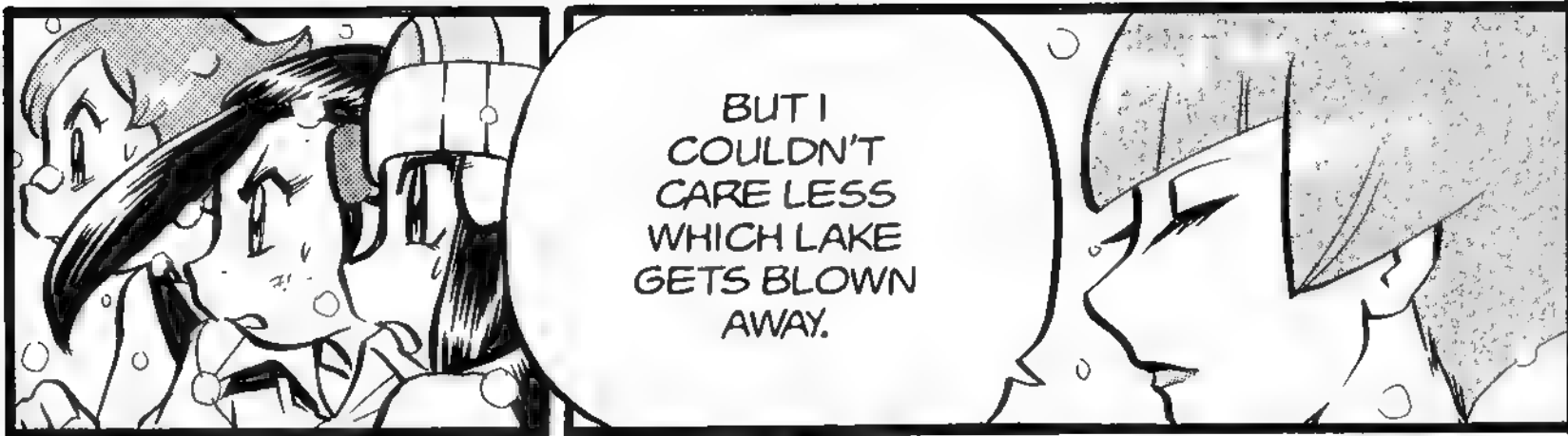
...THE GALACTIC BOMB.

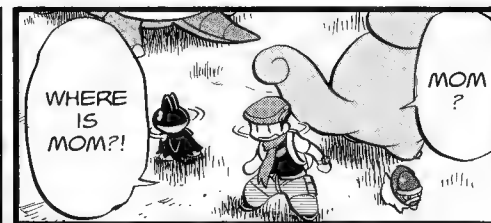
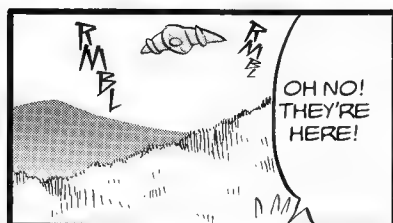
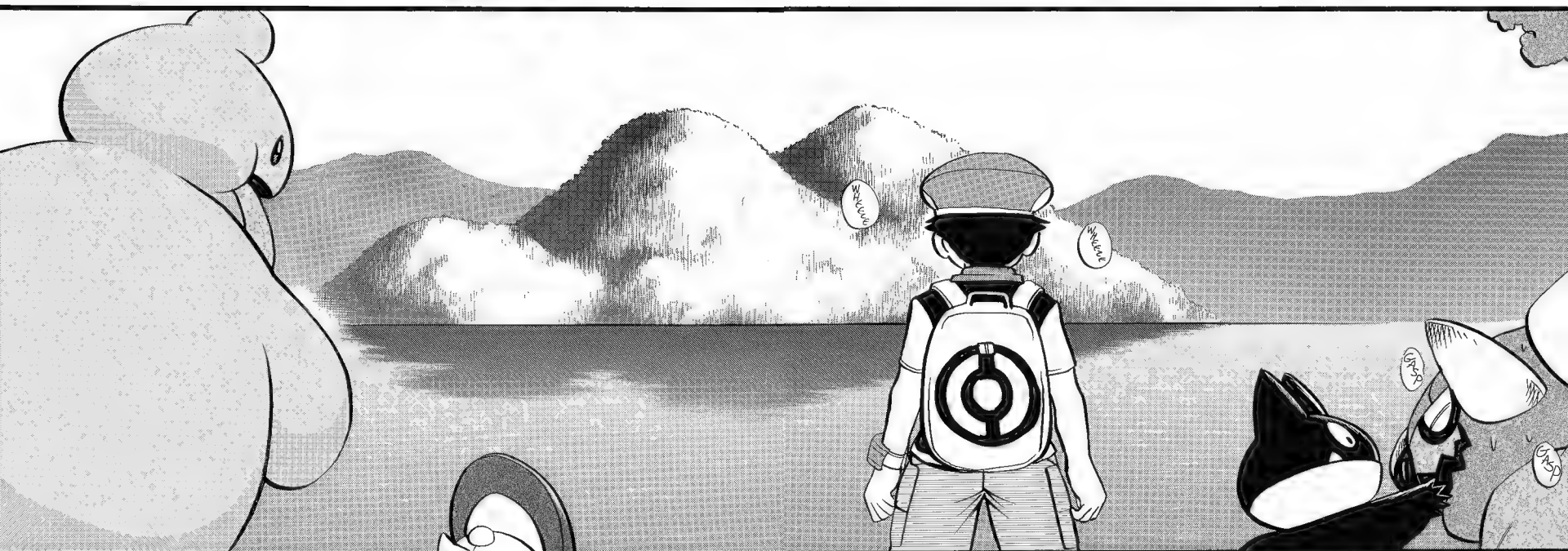
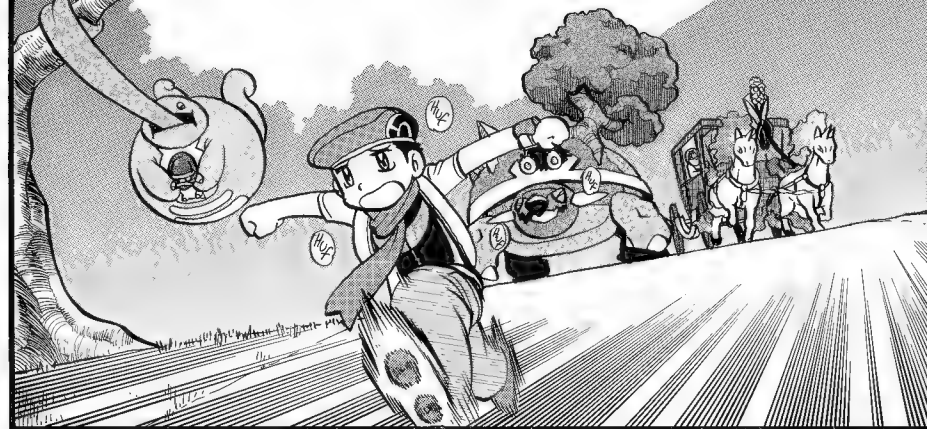
...ONLY ONE OF THE AIRSHIPS IS CARRYING...

HOW-  
EVER ...

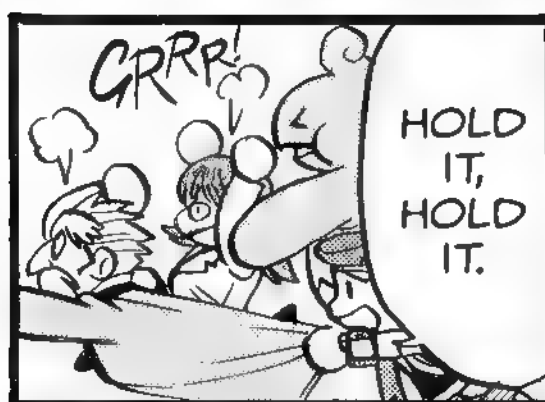
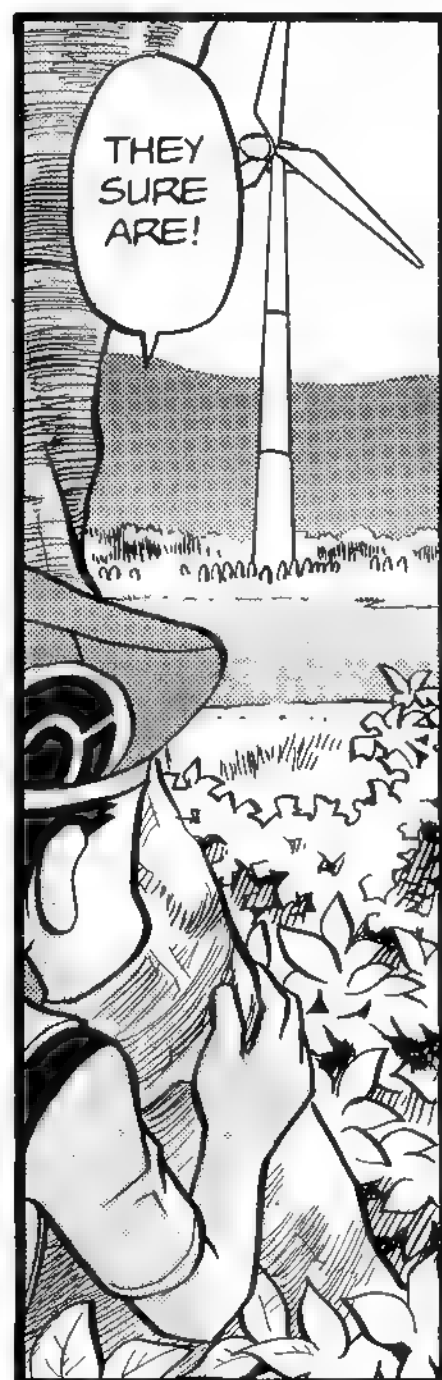
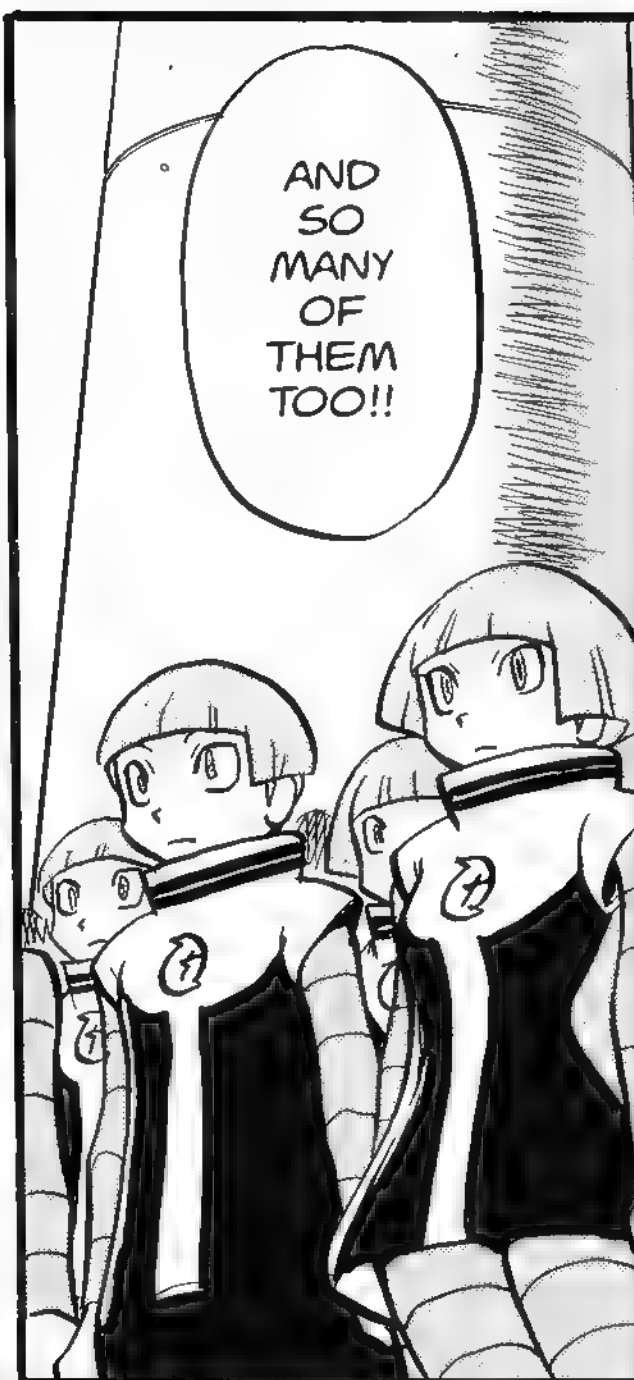
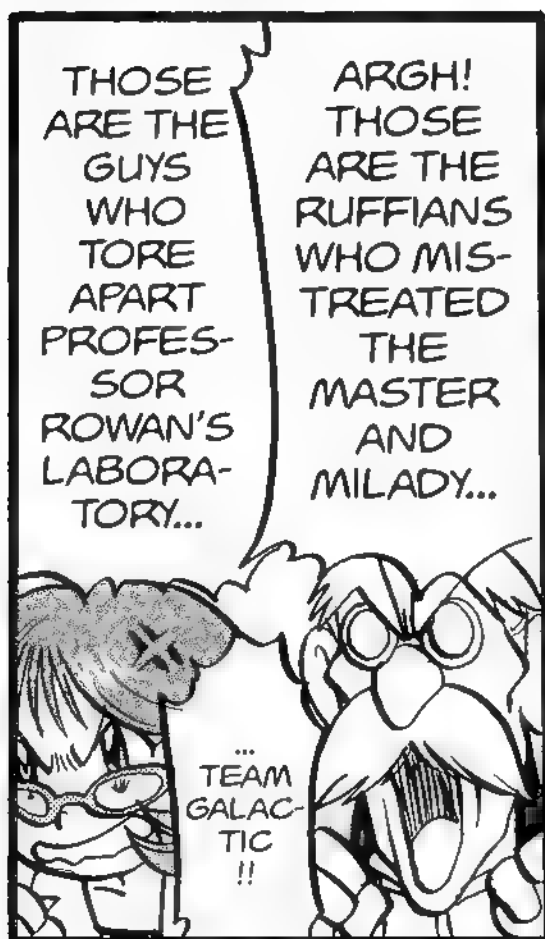
A SIMILAR AIRSHIP WILL HAVE ARRIVED AT LAKE VALOR AND LAKE VERITY BY NOW.

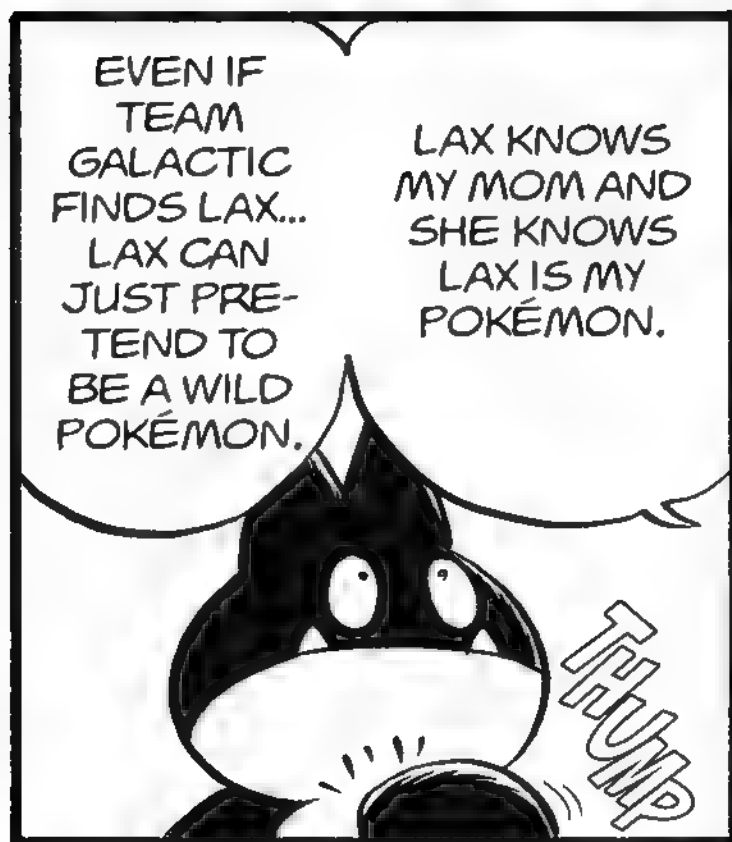
















I'M  
GOING TO  
GIVE IT BACK  
WHEN I SEE  
HER AGAIN...  
BUT...WHILE  
I STILL HAVE  
IT...

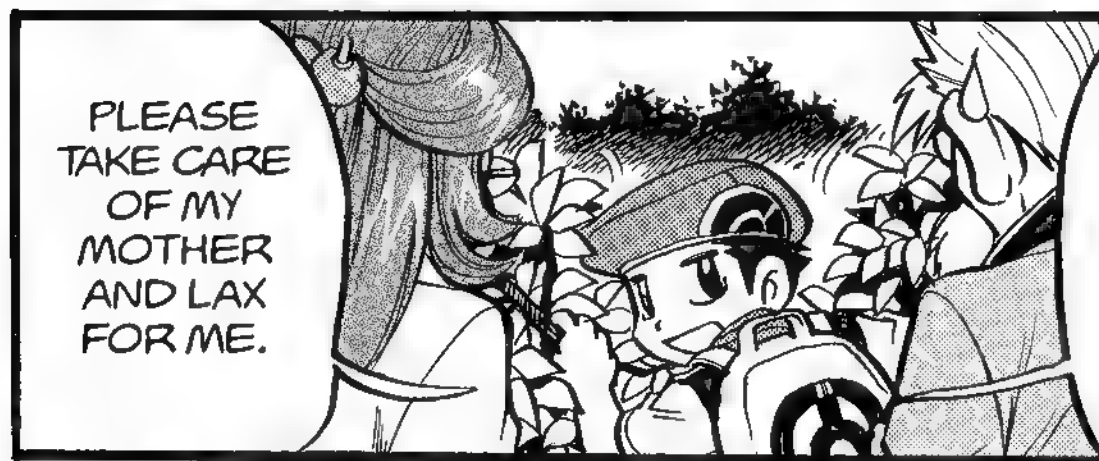


I  
BORROWED  
THIS  
DRIFBLIM  
FROM  
FANTINA  
WHEN I  
TRAVELED  
FROM  
HEARTHOME  
CITY TO  
CANALAVE  
CITY.

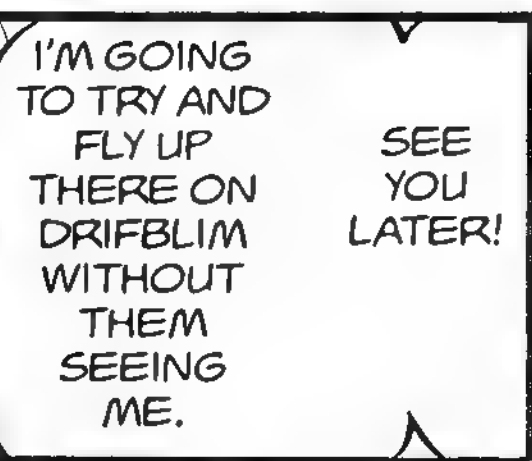
HOW  
ARE  
YOU  
GOING  
TO  
GET UP  
THERE  
?



I'M  
GOING  
TO STOW  
AWAY ON  
THAT  
SHIP.



PLEASE  
TAKE CARE  
OF MY  
MOTHER  
AND LAX  
FOR ME.



I'M GOING  
TO TRY AND  
FLY UP  
THERE ON  
DRIFBLIM  
WITHOUT  
THEM  
SEEING  
ME.

SEE  
YOU  
LATER!



NOW  
IT'S  
MY  
TURN!



...ARE  
FACING  
TEAM  
GALACTIC  
AT LAKE  
VALOR AND  
LAKE  
ACUITY.

I'M  
SURE  
PEARL  
AND  
LADY...



HUH?  
WHAT  
ARE YOU  
TRYING  
TO TELL  
ME?



GREAT! NOW TAKE  
HER DOWN TO THE  
CARRIAGE LIKE I  
SAID. I'M GOING  
TO FLY UP THERE  
FROM HERE.



LAX!  
THAT WAS  
QUICK. YOU  
FOUND HER  
ALREADY?



OH!



NOW...  
DROP  
YOUR  
POKÉ  
BALL!

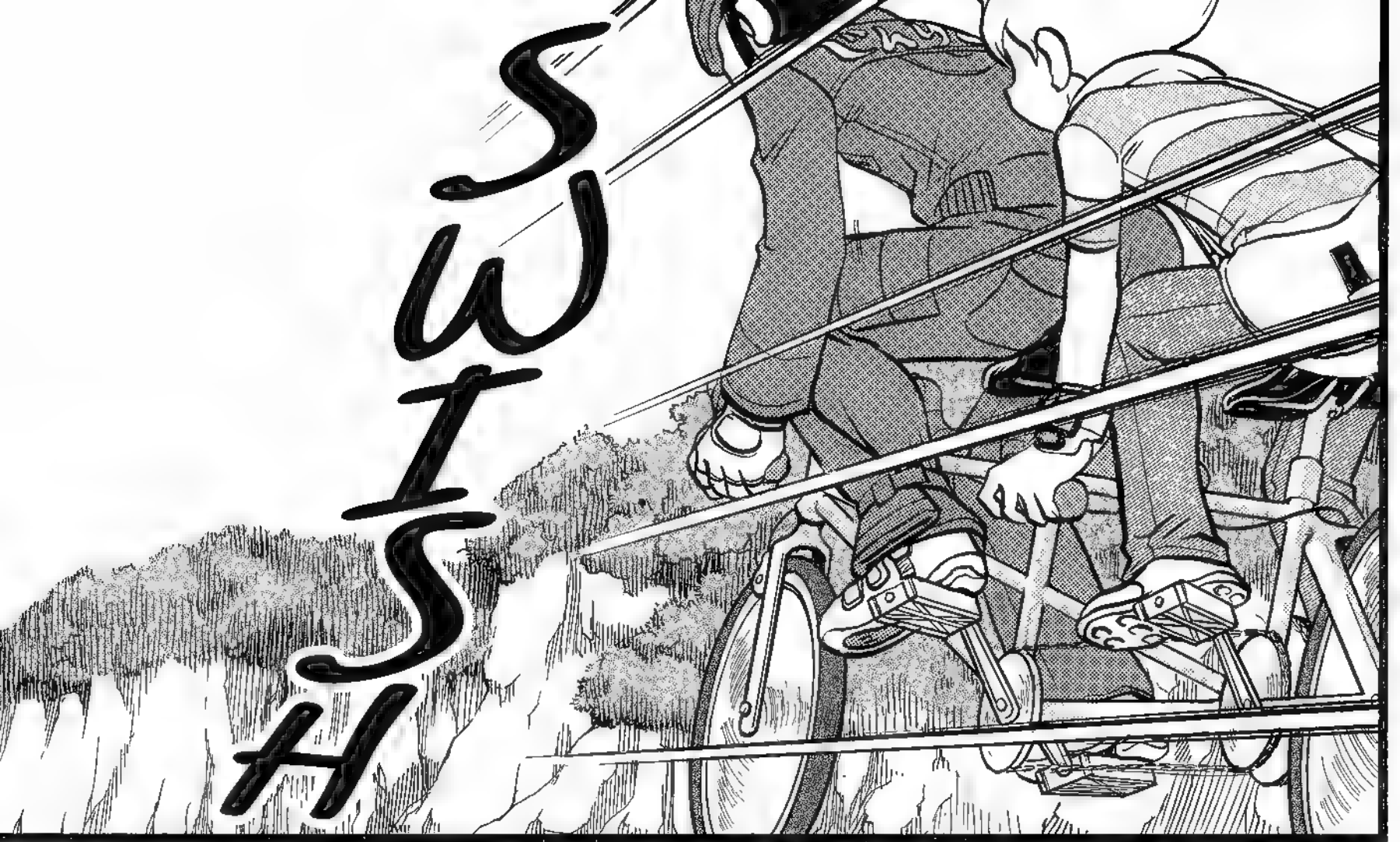
THIS  
IS  
WHAT  
YOUR  
POKÉ-  
MON  
IS  
TELL-  
ING  
YOU.



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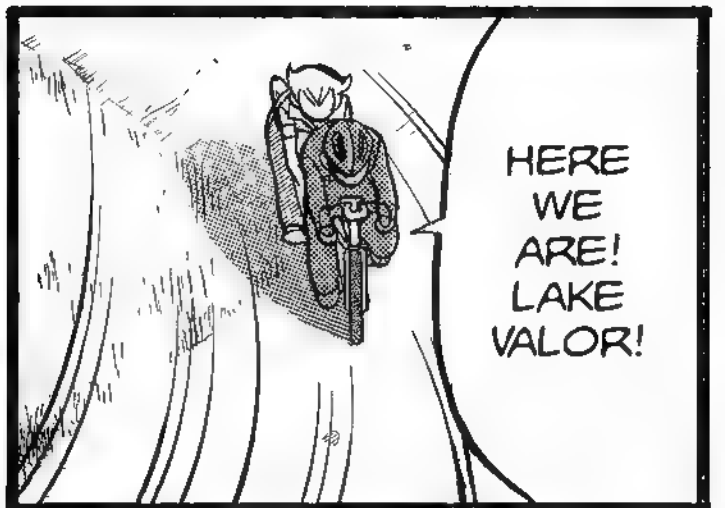
# Outwitting Octillery



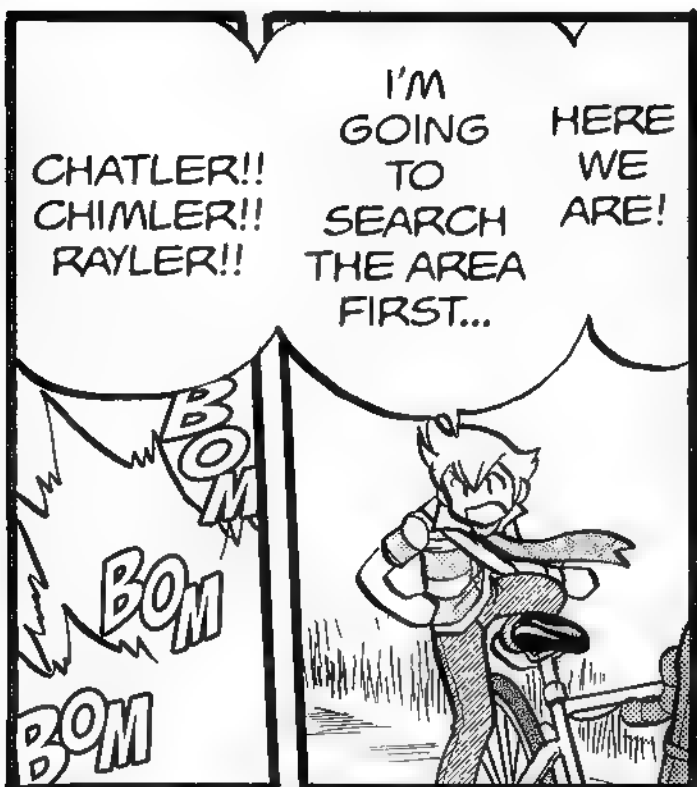
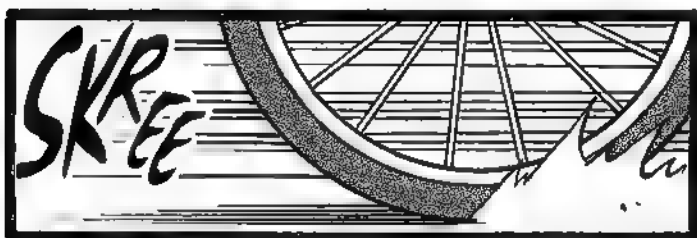


THE LAST  
TIME  
I WAS  
HERE,  
I GOT  
BLOWN UP  
INTO THE  
SKY BY A  
TORNADO.

HEH.



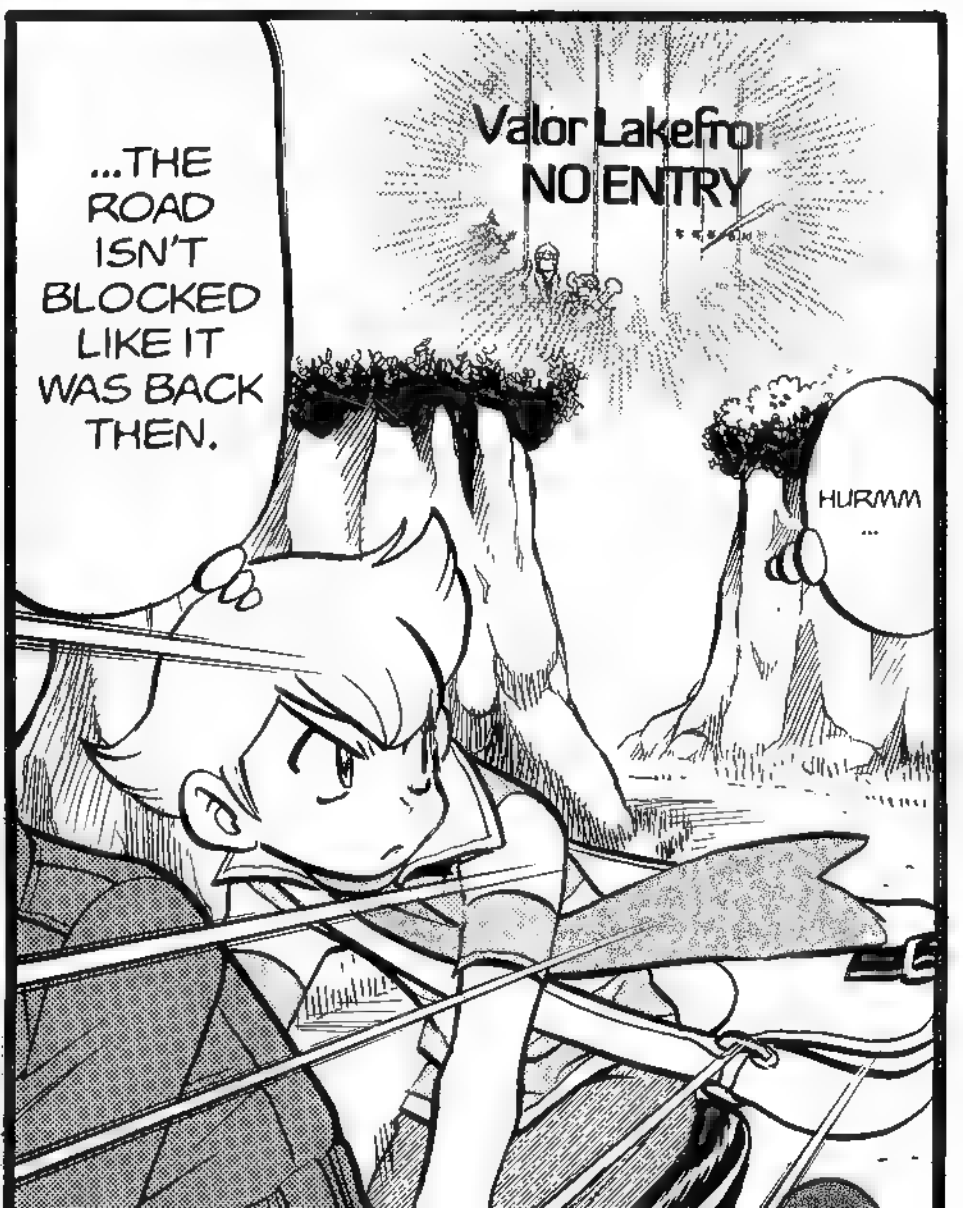
HERE  
WE  
ARE!  
LAKE  
VALOR!



CHATLER!!  
CHIMLER!!  
RAYLER!!

I'M  
GOING  
TO  
SEARCH  
THE AREA  
FIRST...

HERE  
WE  
ARE!



...THE  
ROAD  
ISN'T  
BLOCKED  
LIKE IT  
WAS BACK  
THEN.

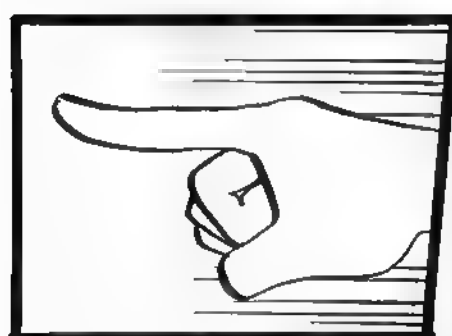
Valor Lakefront  
NO ENTRY

HURMM  
...

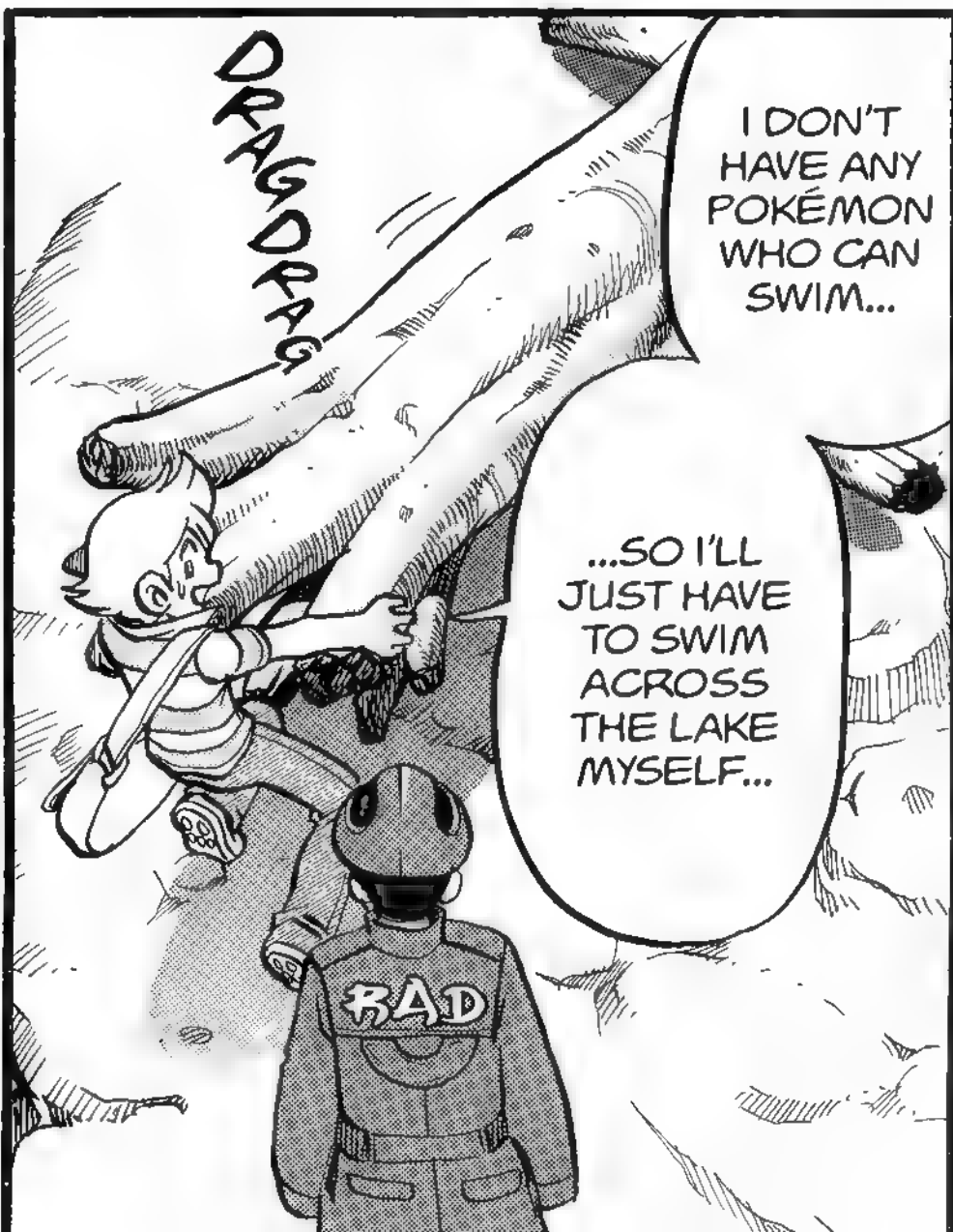
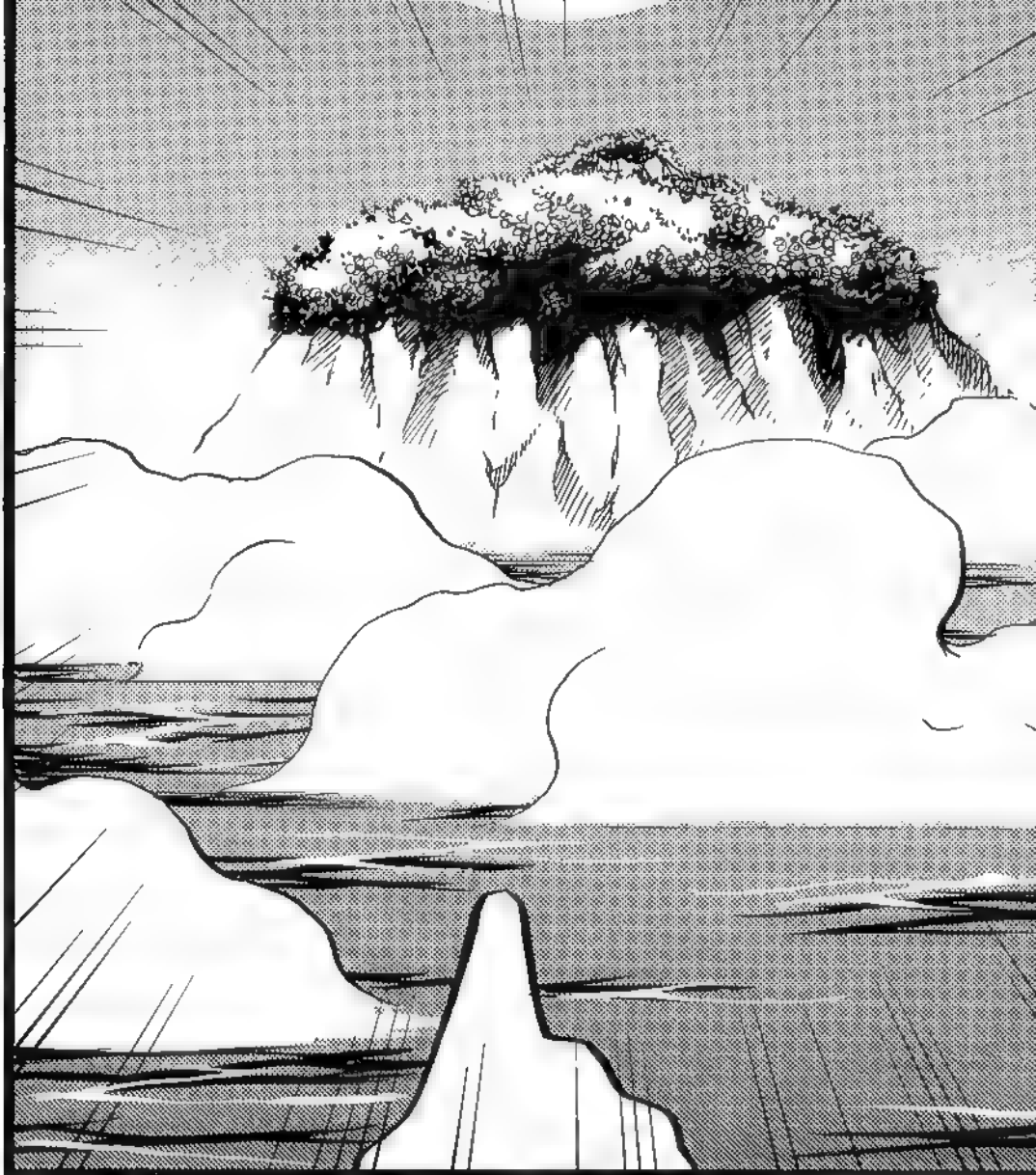


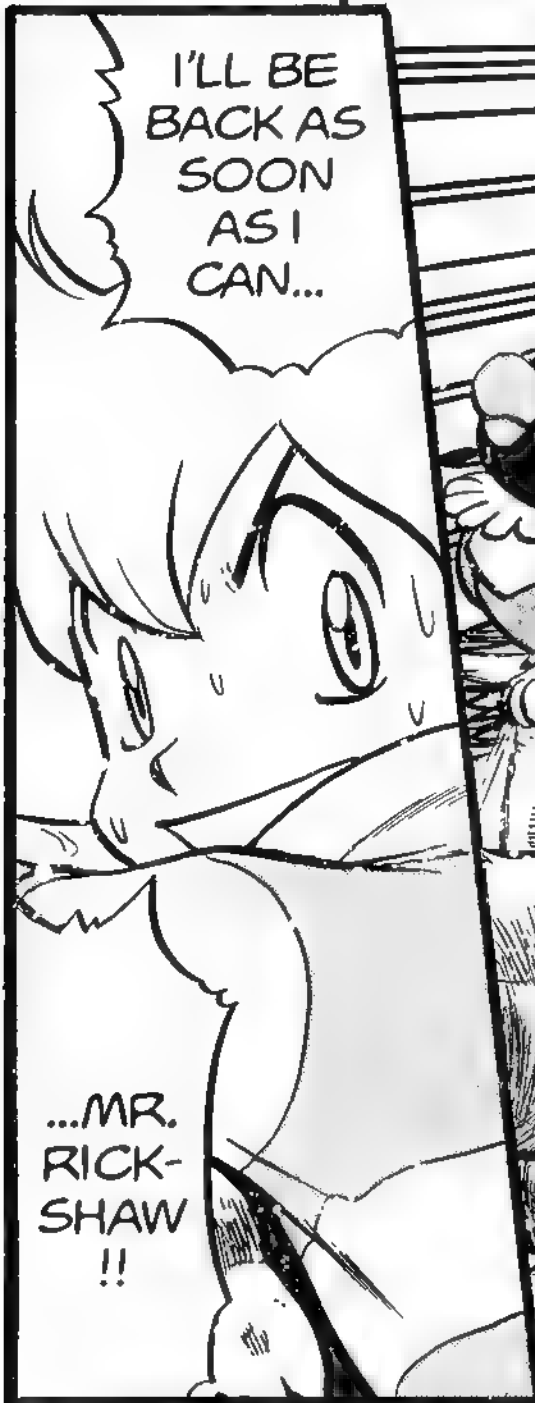
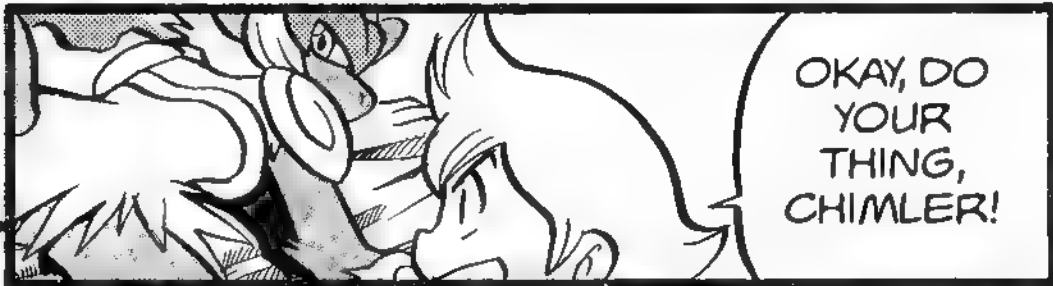
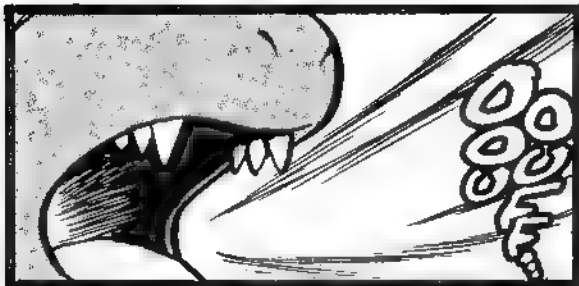
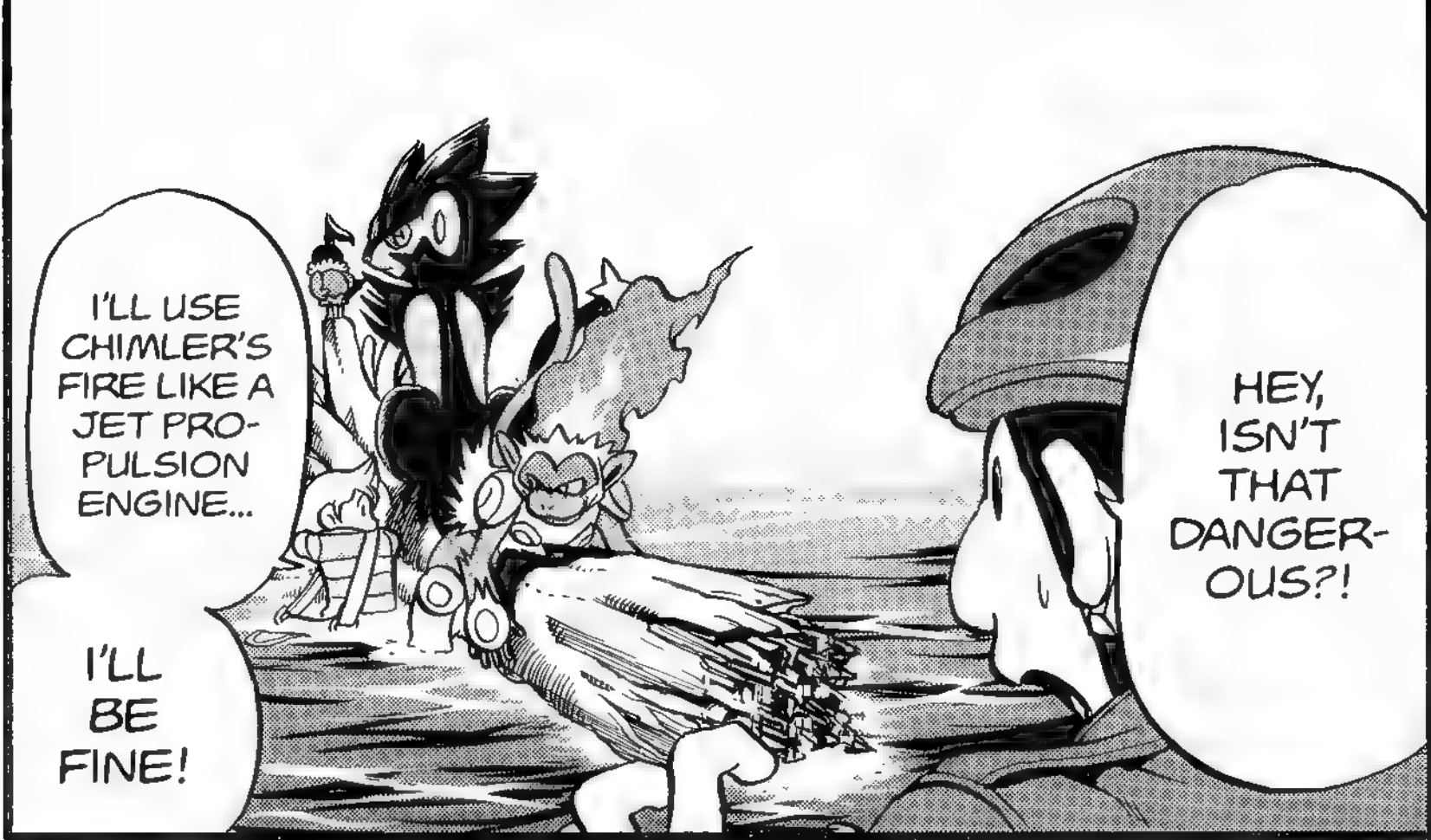


BE  
READY  
FOR A  
FIGHT!!

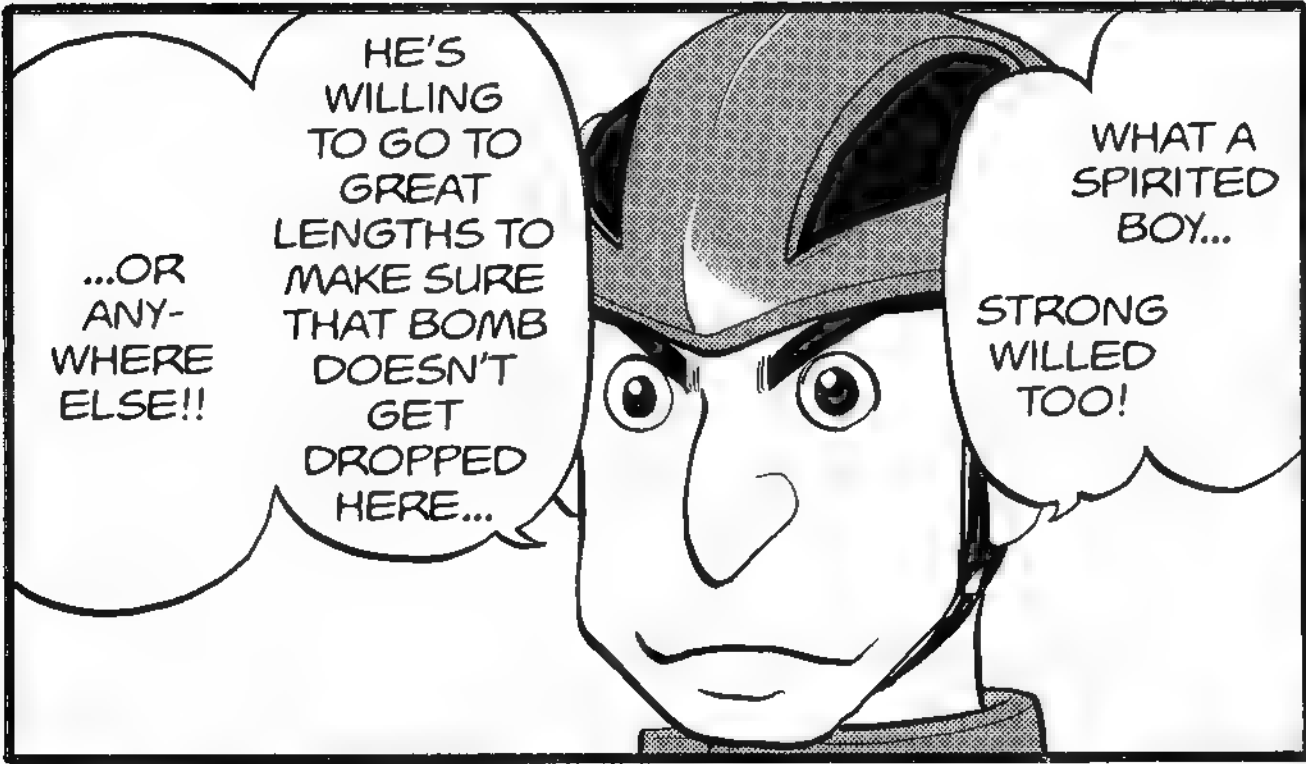






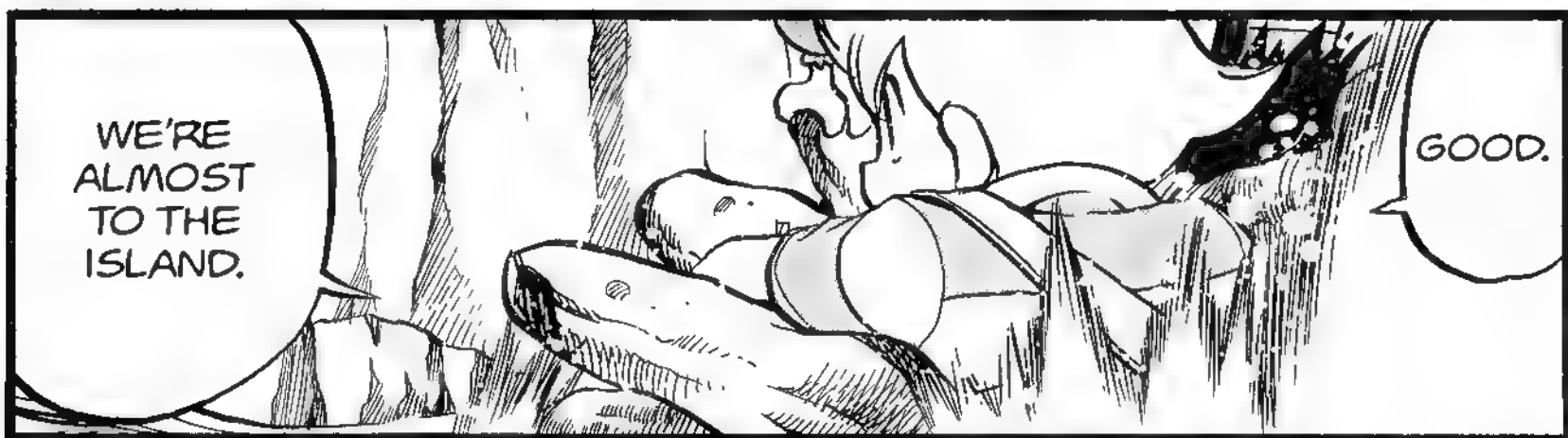








FWOOSH!



WE'RE  
ALMOST  
TO THE  
ISLAND.

GOOD.



...I  
WANT YOU  
TO CHECK  
THE PLACE  
OUT WITH  
YOUR X-RAY  
VISION...

SLHLOOP

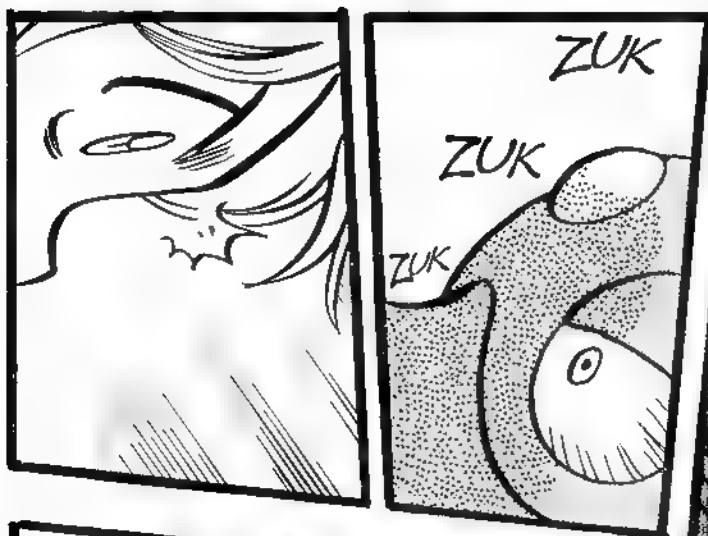


RAY-  
LER!

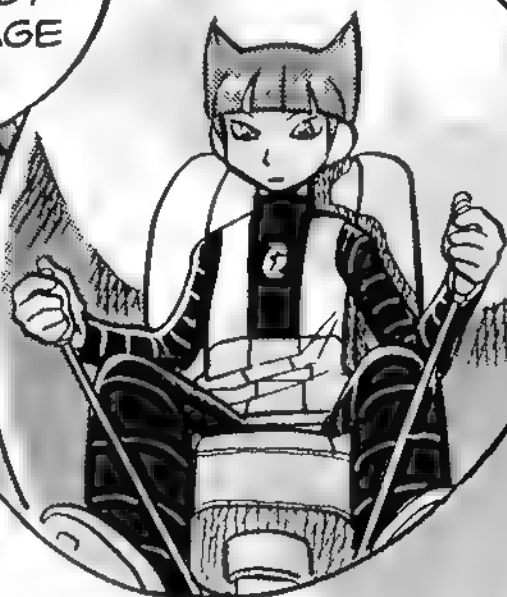


FIRST  
THING  
WHEN  
WE GET  
THERE...





YOU CAN  
PREDICT  
WHAT A  
POKÉMON'S  
GOING  
TO DO BY  
OBSERVING  
ITS BODY  
LANGUAGE  
...?



RMBL

RMBL

RMBL



SPLASH

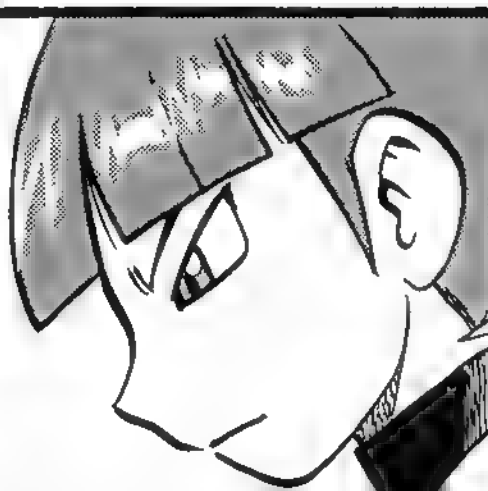


HMM  
...



YOU'RE--

I'D COME  
OUT MORE  
OFTEN IF  
I KNEW IT  
WOULD BE  
THIS INTER-  
ESTING!

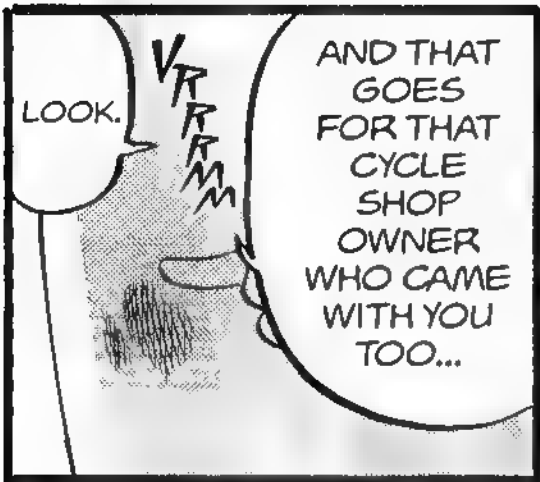


IT'S  
BEEN A  
WHILE  
SINCE  
I'VE BEEN  
DEPLOYED  
OUT  
INTO THE  
FIELD...





PERSONALLY  
CHOSEN BY  
BOSS CYRUS.



AND THAT  
GOES  
FOR THAT  
CYCLE  
SHOP  
OWNER  
WHO CAME  
WITH YOU  
TOO...



I DON'T  
WANT  
ANYONE  
GETTING  
IN THE WAY  
OF OUR  
PLANS.

I KNOW ALL  
ABOUT YOU.  
I'VE BEEN  
KEEPING AN  
EYE ON YOU  
ALL THIS  
TIME.



BUT THE  
BOMB IS  
GOING TO  
DROP IN THIS  
LAKE-AND  
SOONER  
THAN YOU  
THINK!!

I  
COMMEND  
YOU FOR  
ATTEMPTING  
TO STOP  
US.



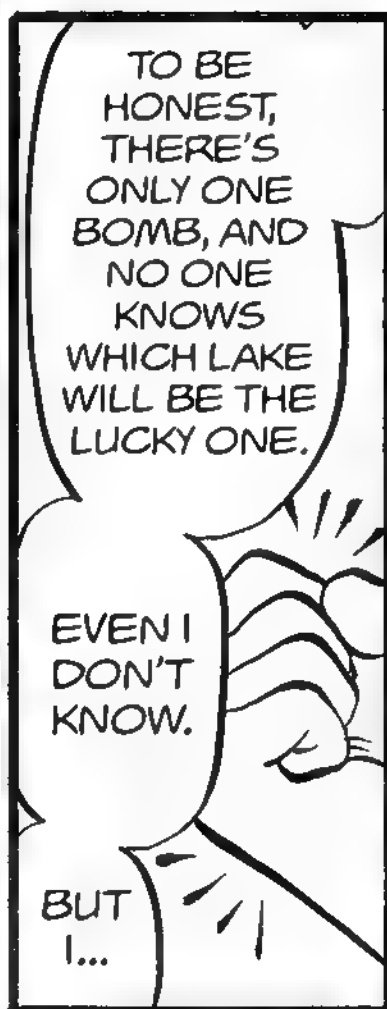
MR.  
RICK-  
SHAW  
!!



REALLY,  
REALLY,  
REALLY,  
REALLY,  
REALLY,  
REALLY,  
REALLY...

REALLY  
...

...HOPE  
IT'S THIS  
ONE, LAKE  
VALOR.



TO BE  
HONEST,  
THERE'S  
ONLY ONE  
BOMB, AND  
NO ONE  
KNOWS  
WHICH LAKE  
WILL BE THE  
LUCKY ONE.

EVEN I  
DON'T  
KNOW.

BUT  
I...



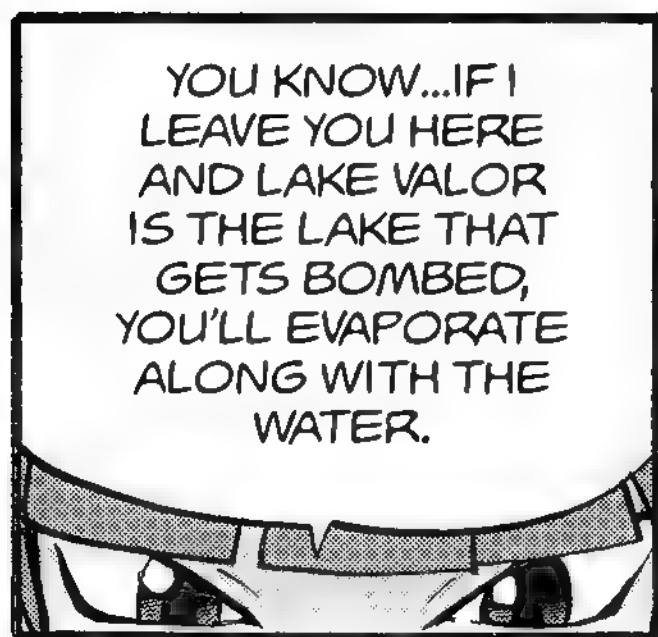
IN  
ABOUT  
THREE  
MINUTES,  
TO BE  
EXACT.

NO!



...WHY  
?!

BUT  
...



YOU KNOW...IF I  
LEAVE YOU HERE  
AND LAKE VALOR  
IS THE LAKE THAT  
GETS BOMBED,  
YOU'LL EVAPORATE  
ALONG WITH THE  
WATER.



I HAVE  
DEVOTED  
MY LIFE TO  
CREATING  
THE  
GALACTIC  
BOMB!!

WHAT  
AN  
IDIOTIC  
QUES-  
TION  
!!

OBVIOUSLY,  
I WANT TO  
SEE HOW  
POWERFUL  
IT IS WITH  
MY OWN  
EYES!!



BUT  
THERE IS  
SOME-  
THING I  
WANT TO  
ASK YOU  
FIRST.

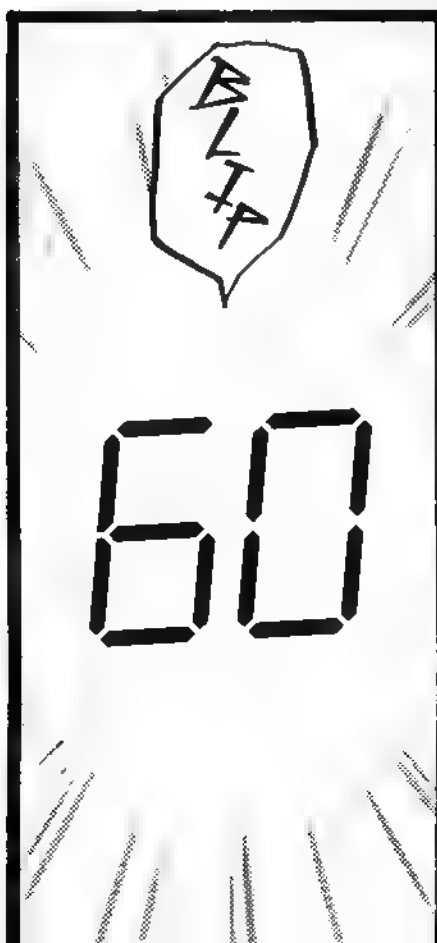
THAT  
WOULD  
BE  
INTER-  
EST-  
ING TO  
WATCH  
TOO...





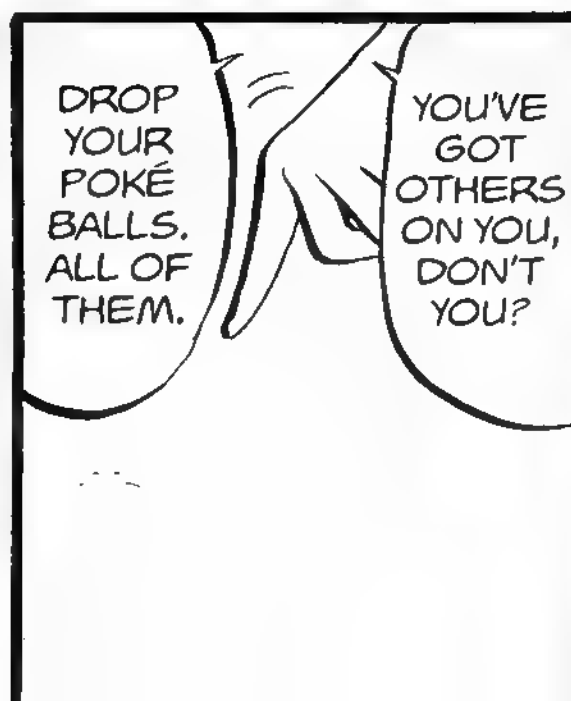
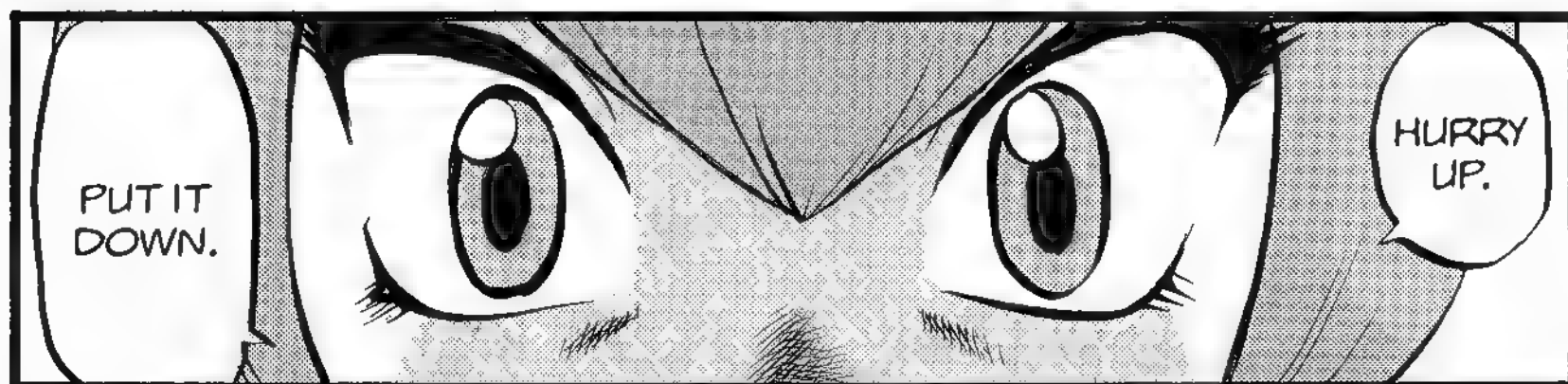
DIRECTLY,  
WITHOUT ANY  
HESITATION...  
BECAUSE  
YOU KNOW  
SOMETHING,  
DON'T YOU?

WHY DID  
YOU HEAD  
STRAIGHT  
FOR THIS  
ISLAND  
THE  
MOMENT  
YOU  
ARRIVED  
HERE?



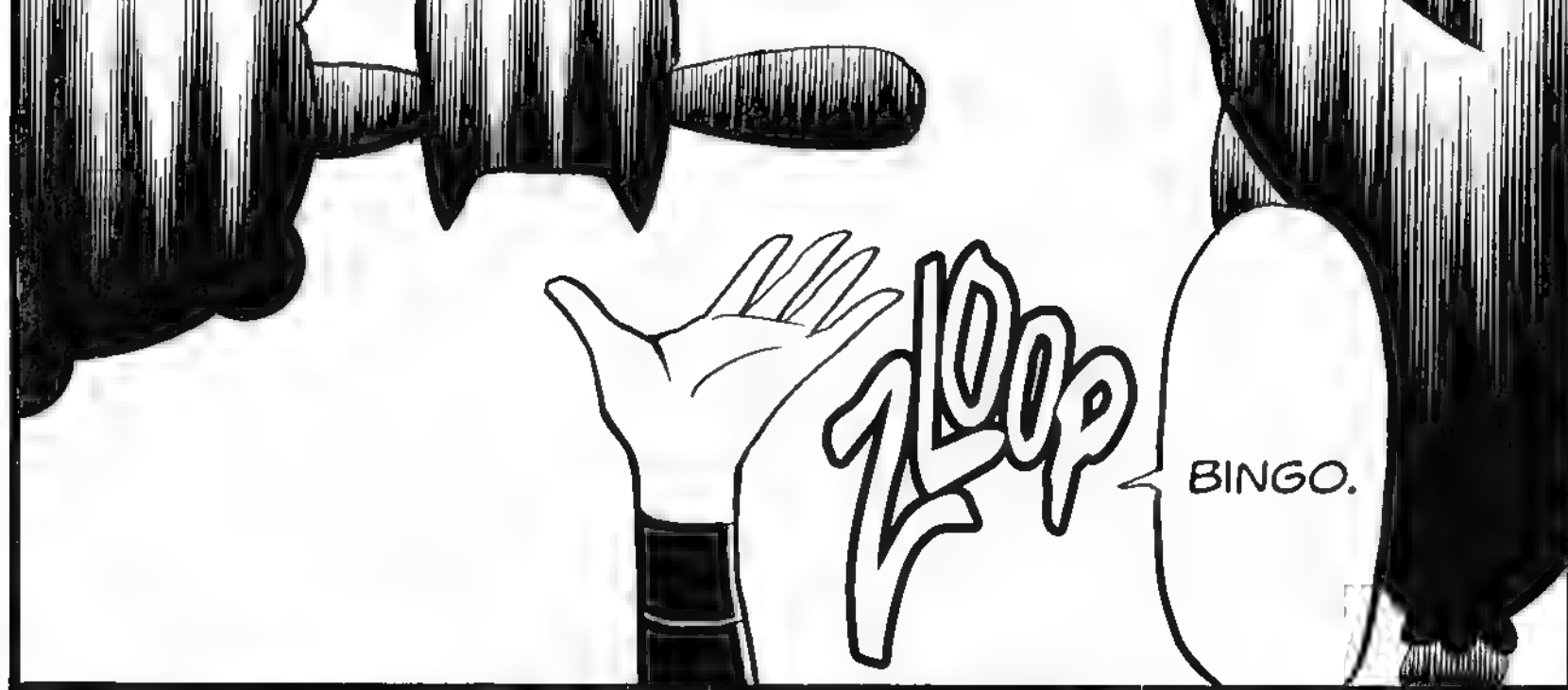
WHAT  
DO YOU  
KNOW  
?!

TELL  
ME!!











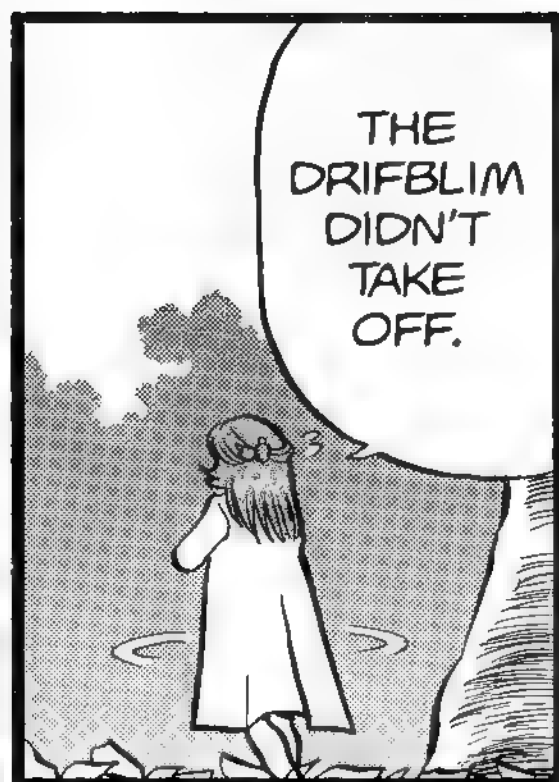


DID  
SOME-  
THING  
UN-  
TOWARD  
HAP-  
PEN TO  
THEM...?



...BUT THE  
MUNCHLAX  
WHO WENT  
TO LOOK  
FOR YOUNG  
MASTER  
DIAMOND'S  
MOTHER  
HASN'T  
RETURNED  
EITHER...

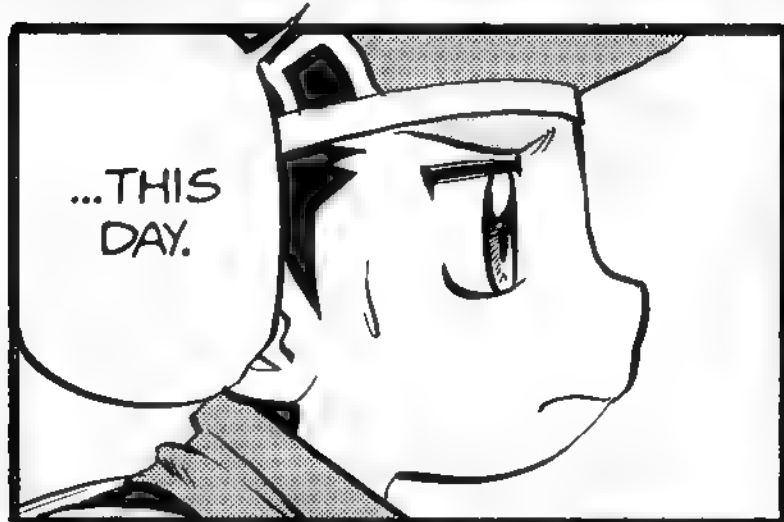
WE  
HAVE  
THE  
CAR-  
RIAGE  
READY...



THE  
DRIFBLIM  
DIDN'T  
TAKE  
OFF.



EVER  
SINCE WE  
COMPLETED  
THE BOMB  
I'VE BEEN  
WAITING  
WITH BATED  
BREATH  
FOR...

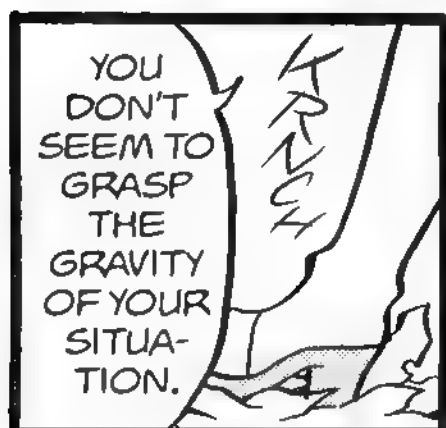


...THIS  
DAY.



WE  
NEEDED  
A LOT OF  
KILOWATTS  
TO CREATE  
A GALACTIC  
BOMB  
POWERFUL  
ENOUGH TO  
DRY UP AN  
ENTIRE  
LAKE.

THAT'S  
WHY WE  
RAIDED  
THAT  
POWER  
PLANT.



YOU  
DON'T  
SEEM TO  
GRASP  
THE  
GRAVITY  
OF YOUR  
SITUA-  
TION.



NOW IT'S  
YOUR  
TURN. LET  
GO OF MY  
MOTHER!

OKAY, I PUT  
MY POKÉ  
BALLS  
DOWN,  
LIKE YOU  
SAID.



...SO YOU  
MIGHT  
AS WELL  
GET  
COM-  
FORT-  
ABLE  
AND  
WATCH.

...SOME-  
THING VERY  
ENTER-  
TAINING IS  
ABOUT TO  
OCCUR...

BUT, YOU  
KNOW...

YOU'RE  
IN NO  
POSITION  
TO DICTATE  
TO ME.

BONK



FONK



OF COURSE,  
IF YOU GET  
TOO CLOSE,  
YOU MIGHT  
GET BLOWN  
AWAY...

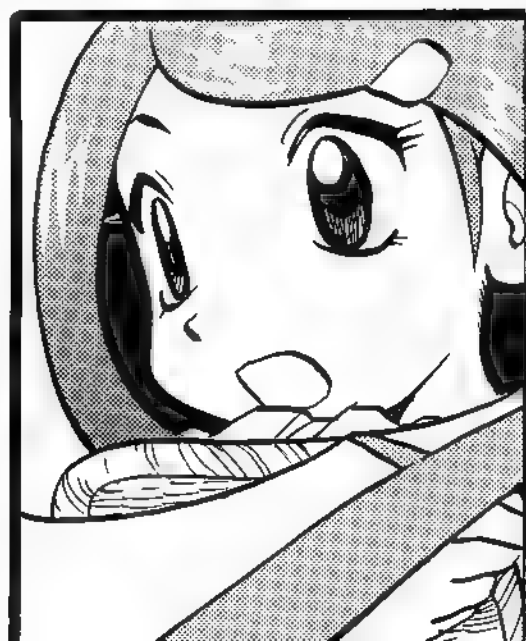
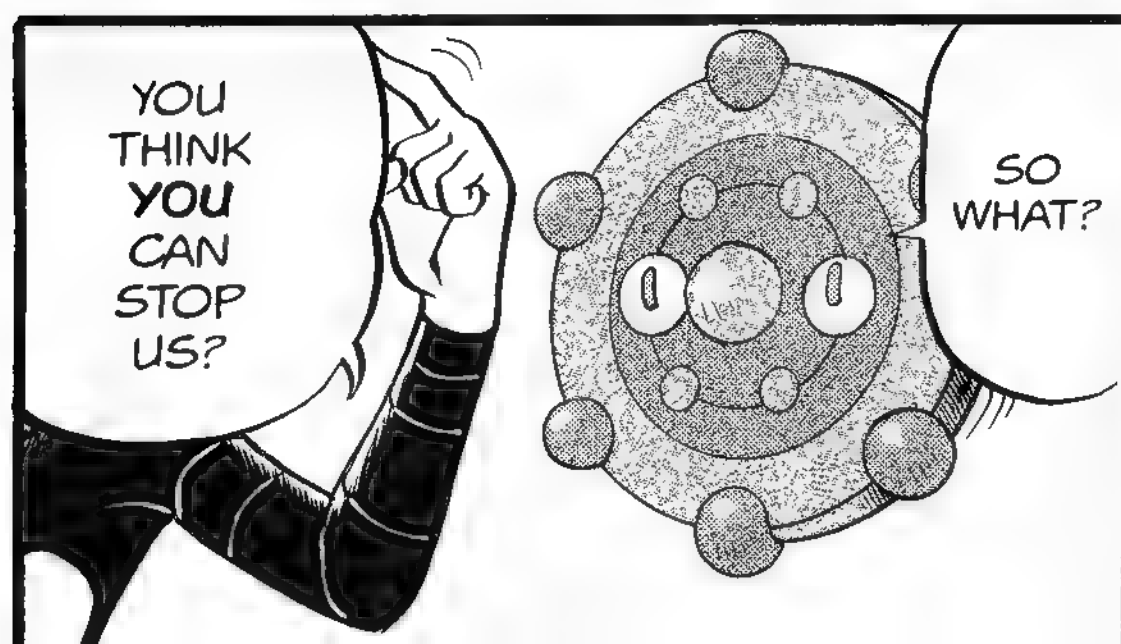
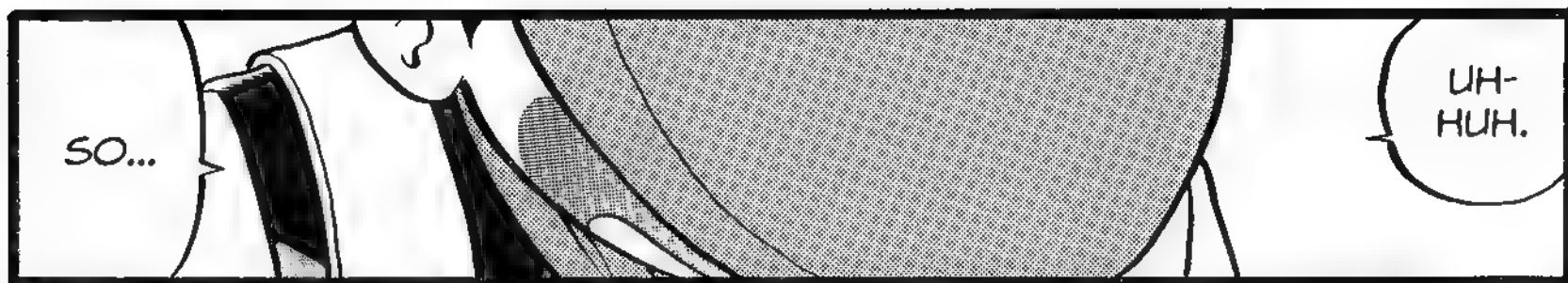
WOULD  
YOU  
LIKE TO  
GET A  
BETTER  
VIEW?



SO  
YOU'RE  
GOING  
TO FIGHT  
BACK  
AFTER  
ALL?

OH...





BO-  
RING.

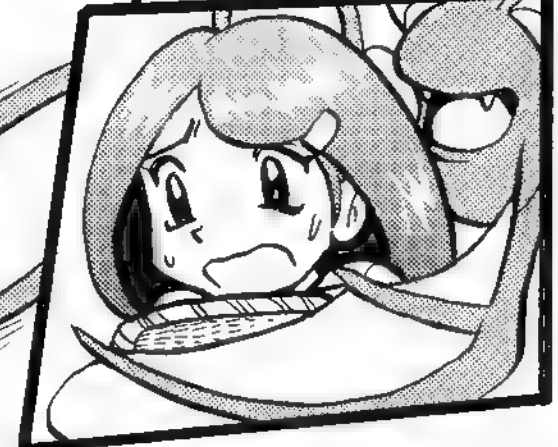


YOU'RE  
SUCH A  
SPOIL-  
SPORT.  
WHY WOULD  
YOU WANT  
TO GO AND  
RUIN OTHER  
PEOPLE'S  
FUN?

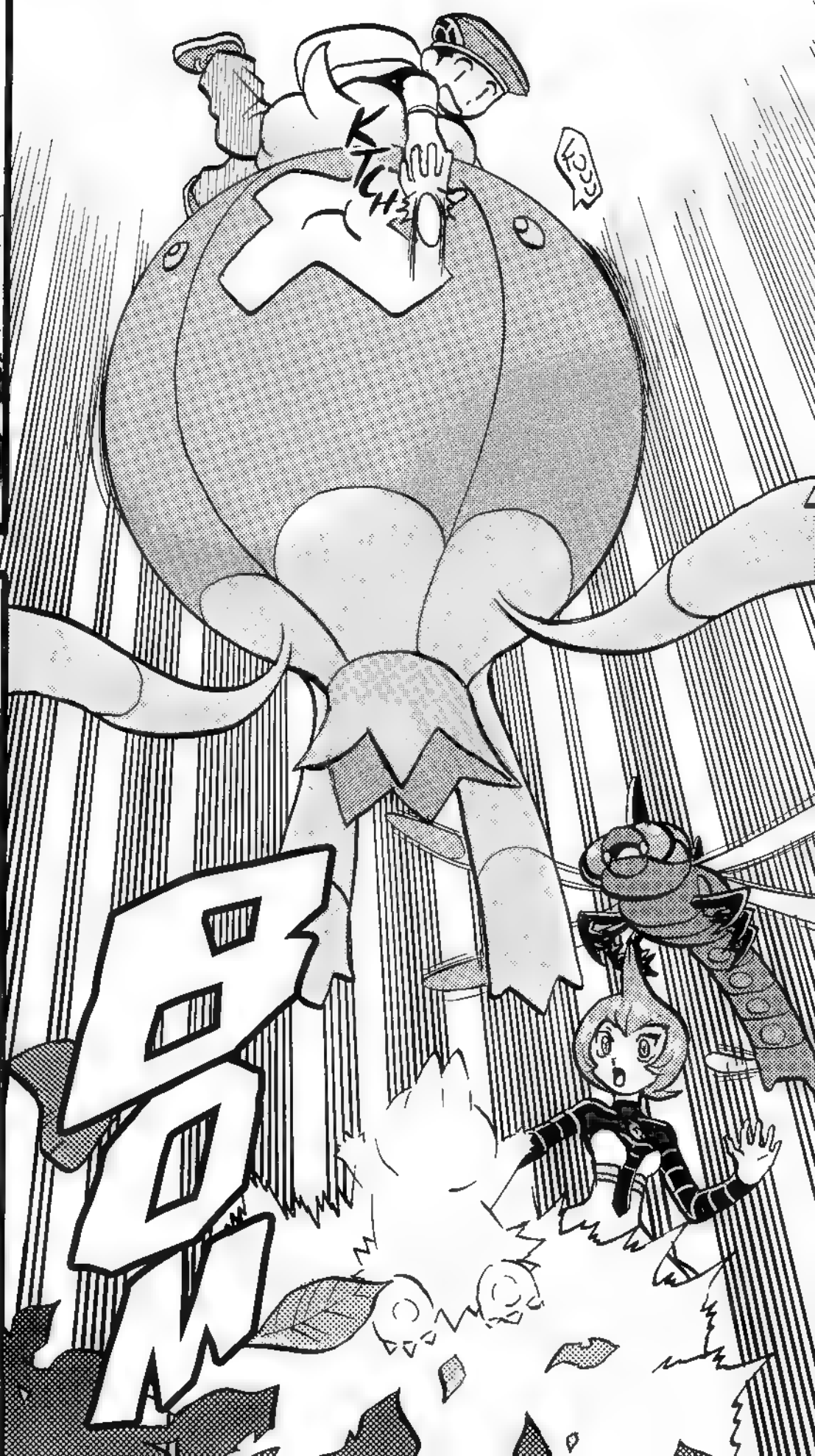
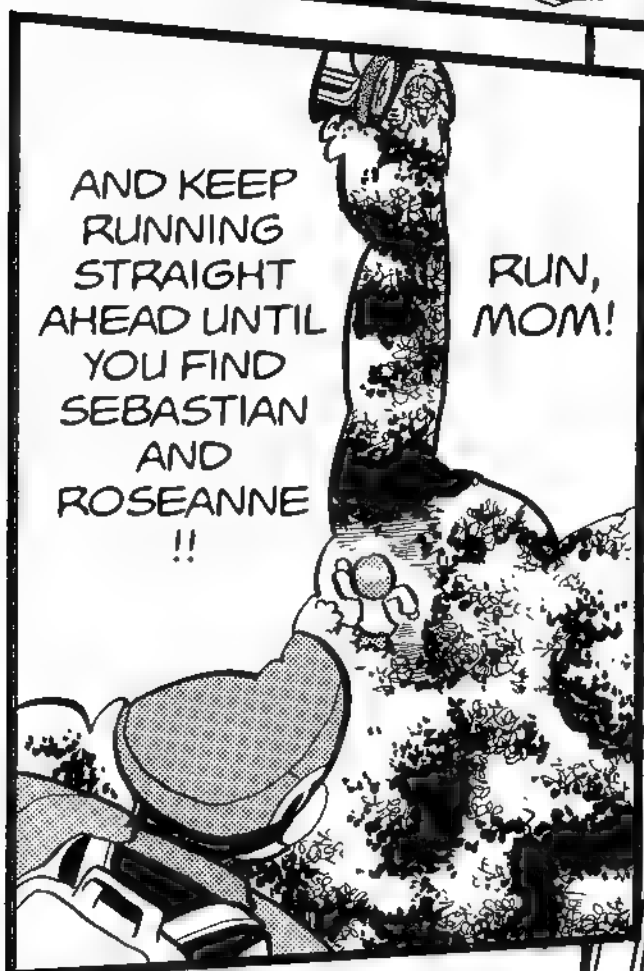
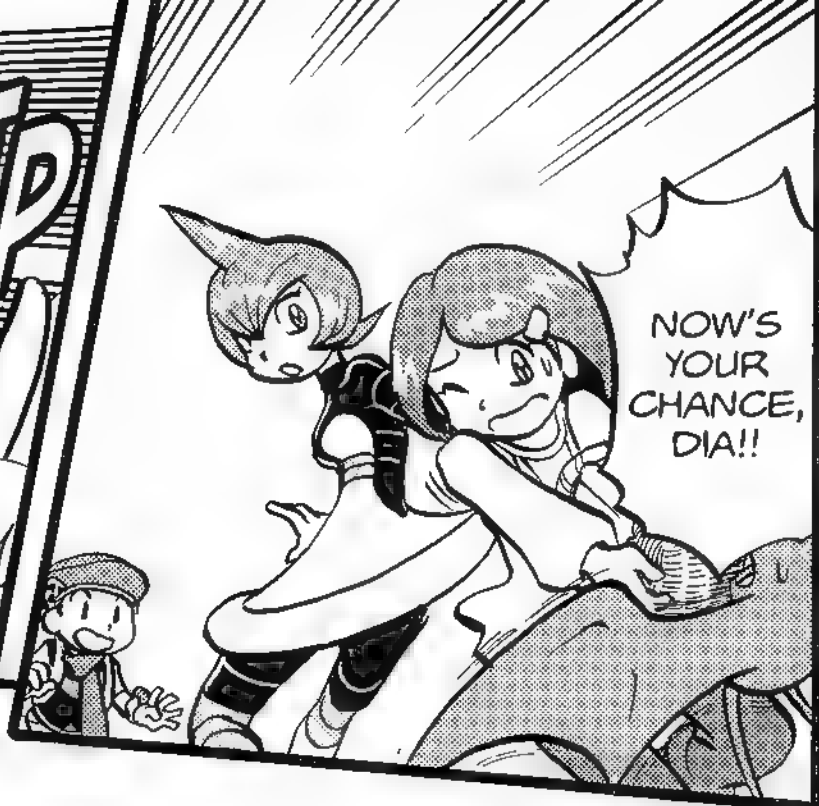


WHOA  
!!

GYRO  
BALL!







RMB

RMBL

I HAVE  
TO GET  
IN THAT  
AIRSHIP...

I  
HAVE  
TO  
STOP  
THEM!

...  
AND  
STOP  
THEM  
!!

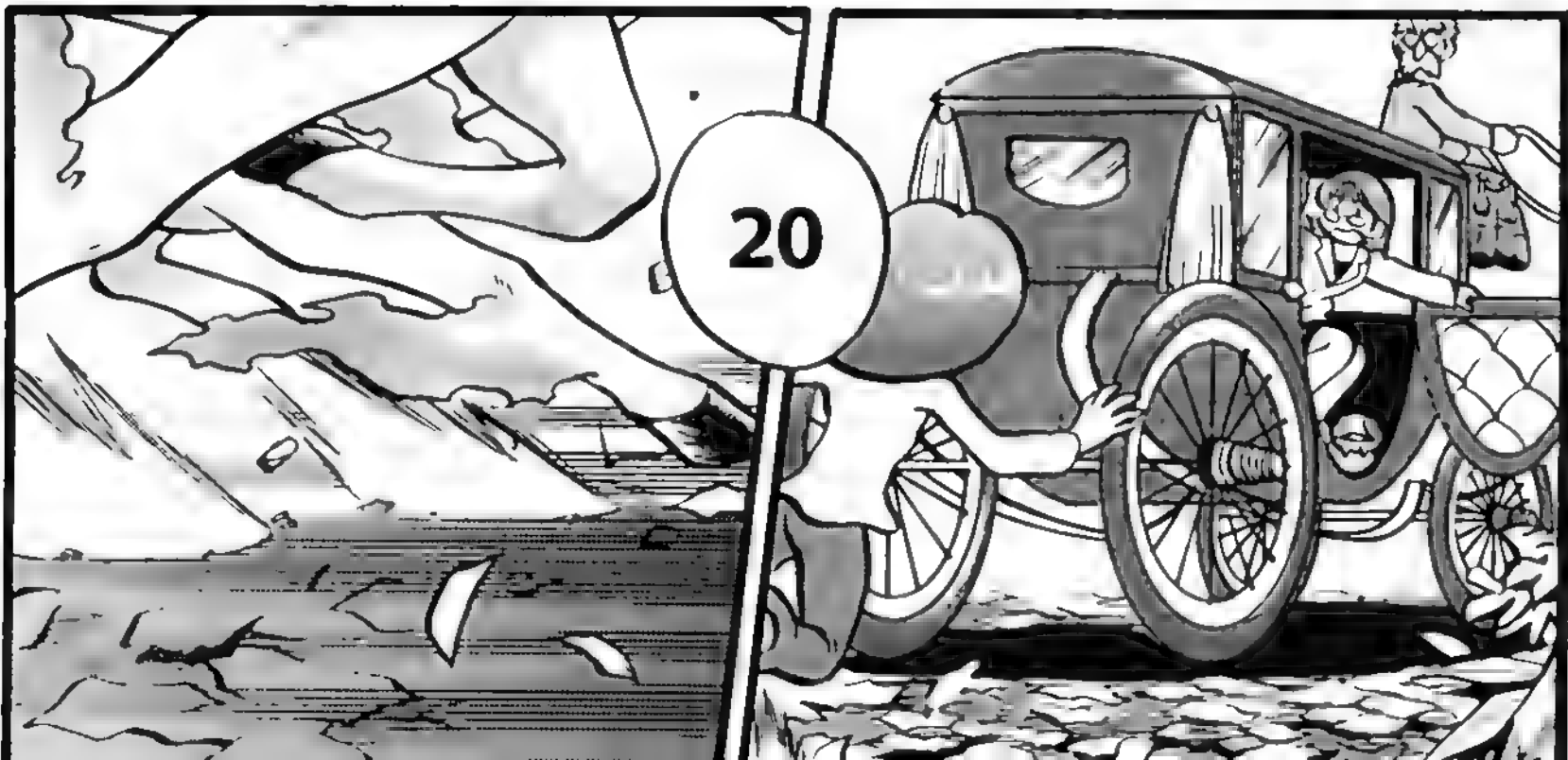
NO  
QUES-  
TION  
ABOUT  
IT!!

THERE'S  
NOTHING  
FUN  
ABOUT  
BLOWING  
UP A  
LAKE!





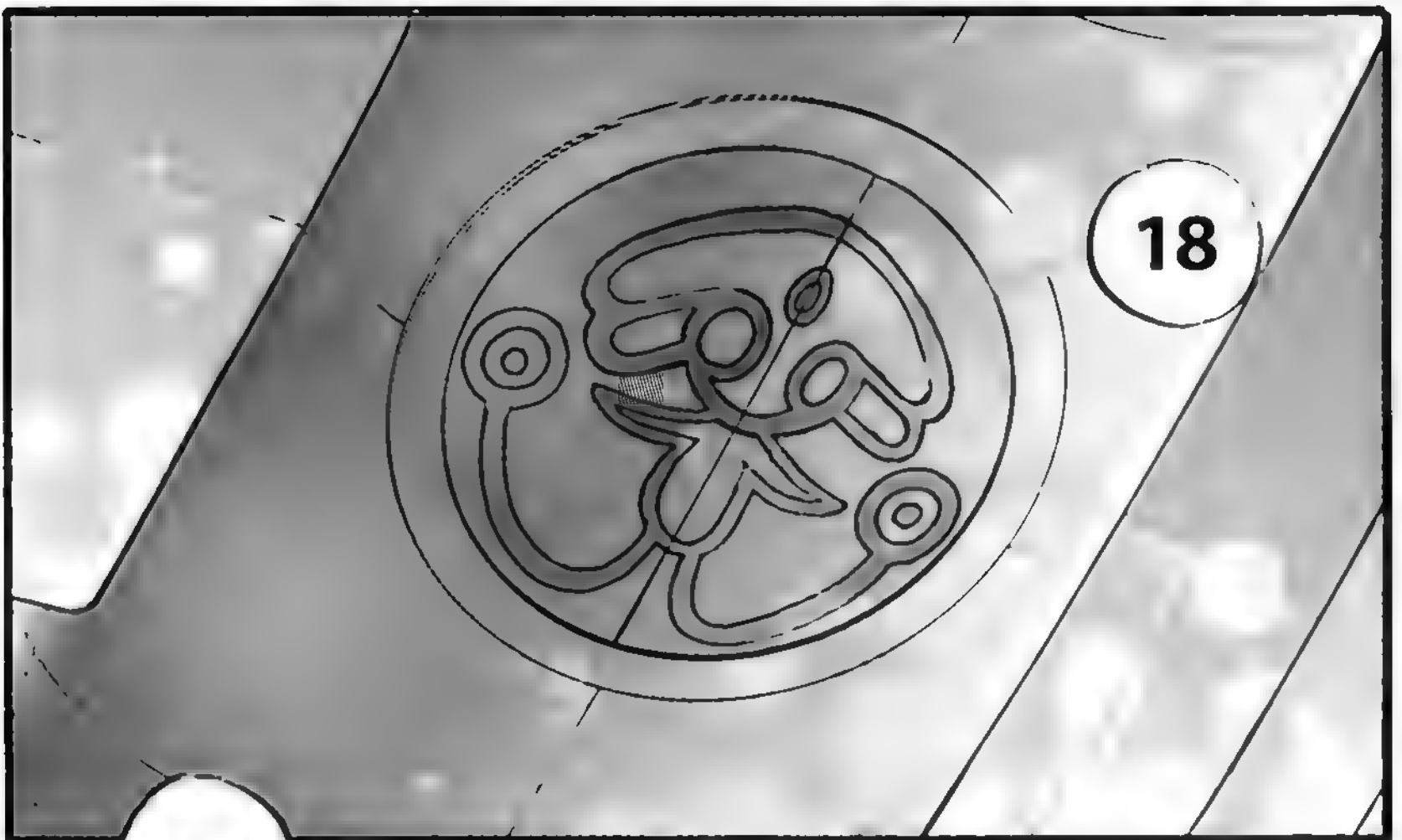








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RMB  
RMB  
RMB



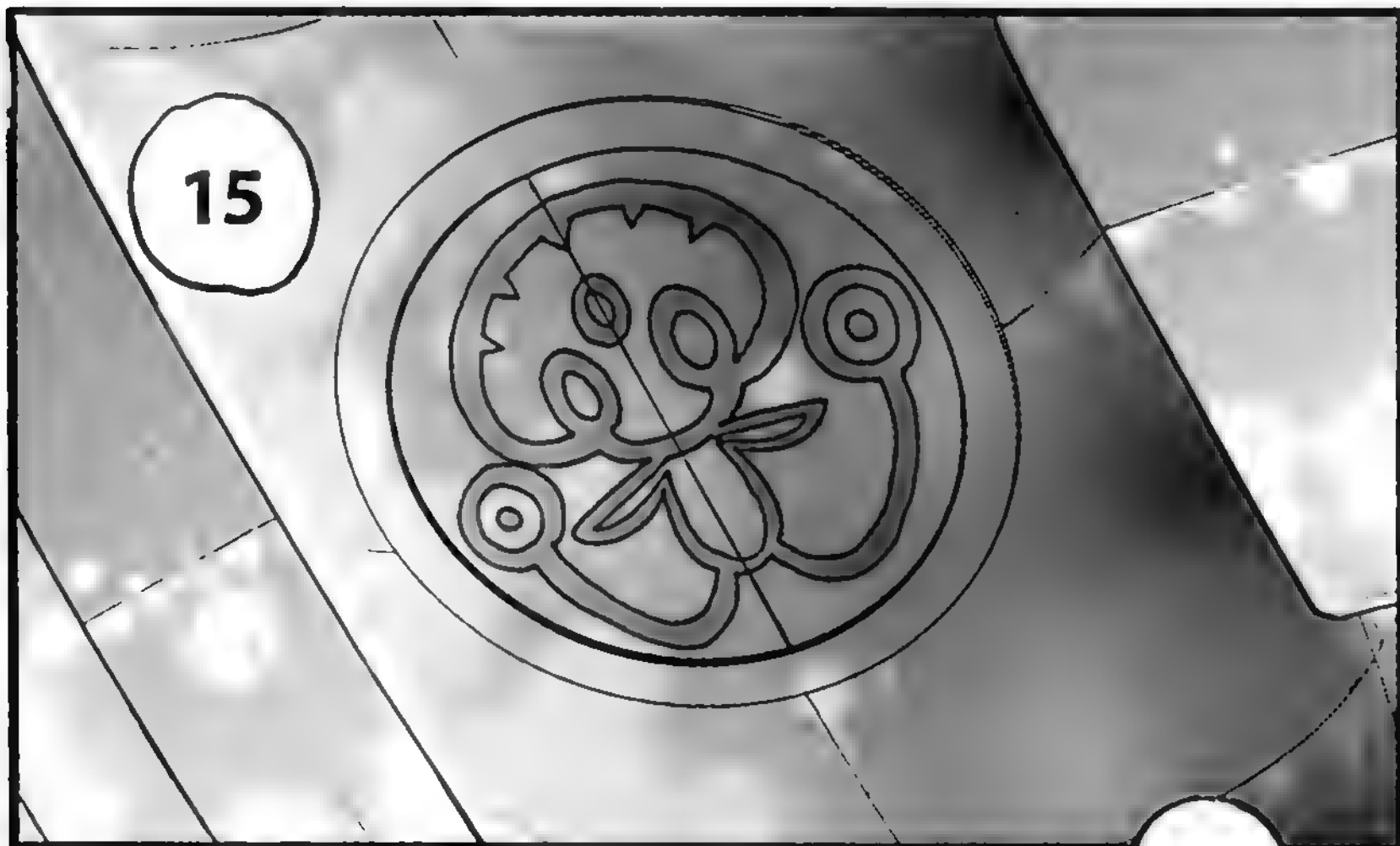
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...AFTER THE  
EXPLOSION,  
AS SOON  
AS UXIE, THE  
"KNOWLEDGE"  
POKÉMON,  
APPEARS—  
WE'LL CATCH IT!

THEN  
...

THE  
ONLY  
THING  
LEFT  
TO  
DO IS  
WAIT.

THE AIR-  
SHIP IS  
HOVERING  
ABOVE  
THE DROP  
ZONE.



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RMB  
RMB  
RMB



BLIP

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NOW TELL  
ME THE  
SECRET  
OF THAT  
ISLAND!!

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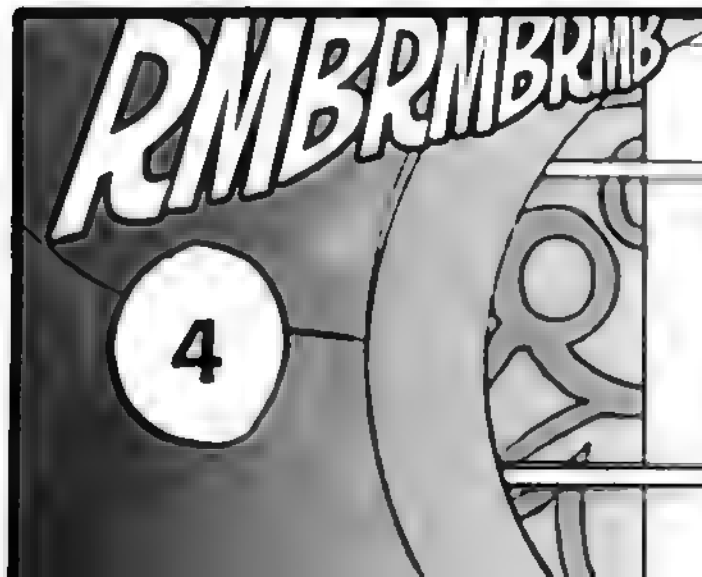
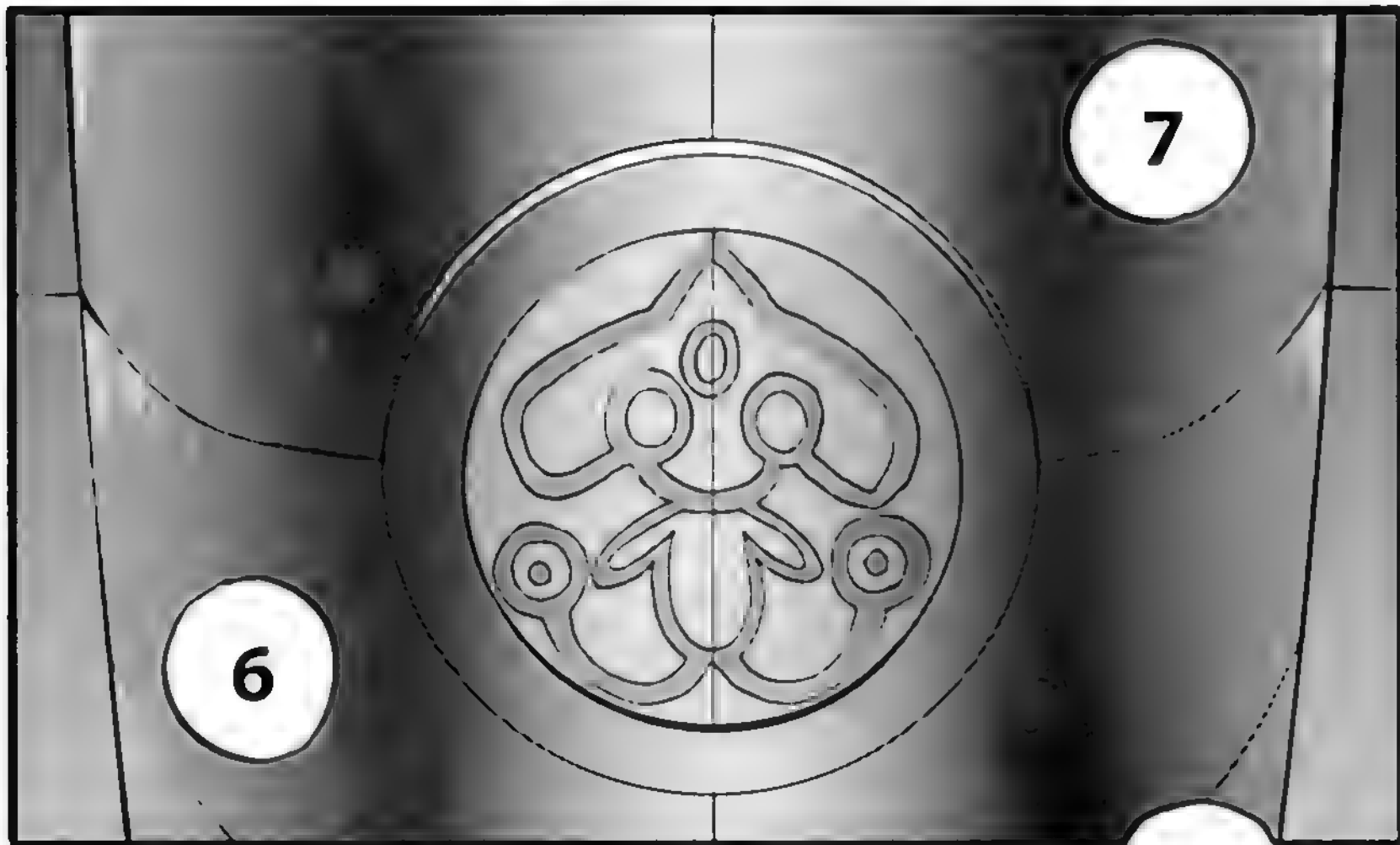
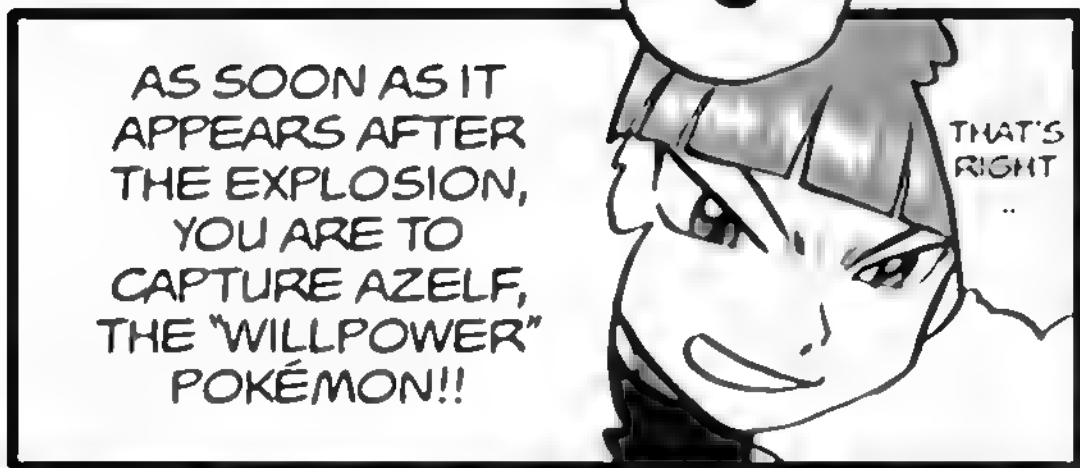
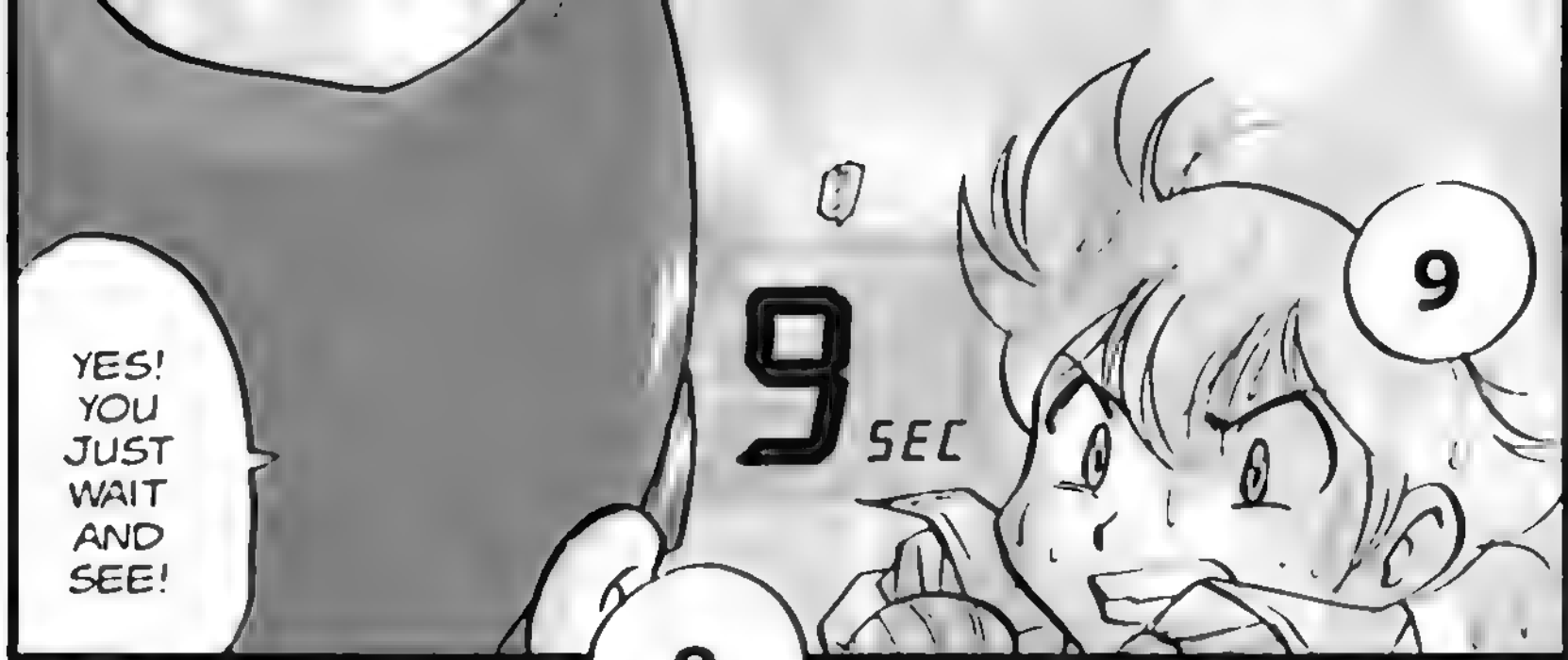
WHAT  
DO YOU  
KNOW  
?!

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10

BLIP

TELL  
ME!!





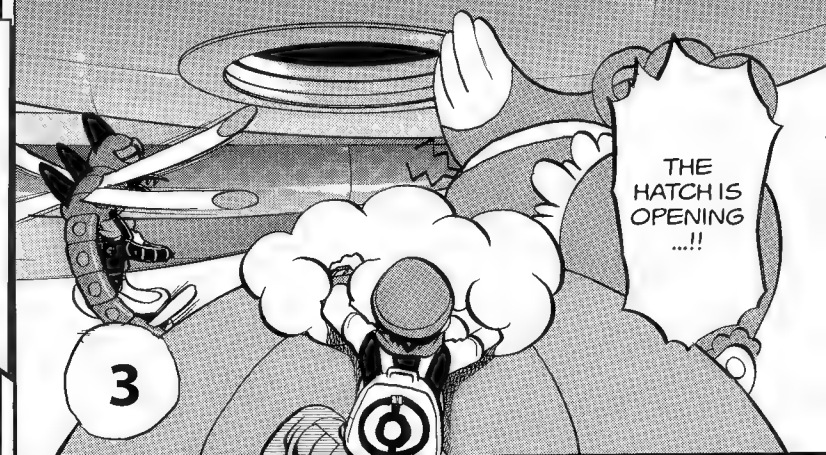


WHICH  
LAKE  
ARE  
THEY  
GOING  
TO  
DROP  
THE  
BOMB  
ON?!

LAKE VERITY!

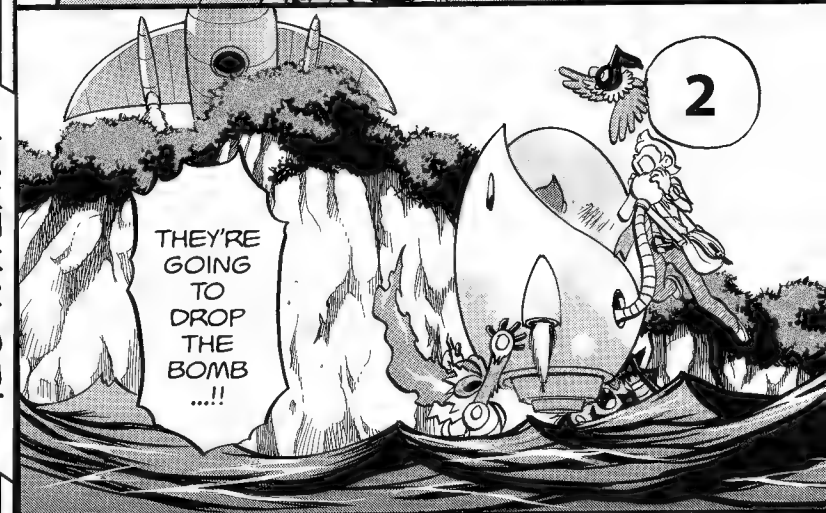
LAKE VALORI!

LAKE ACUTTY!



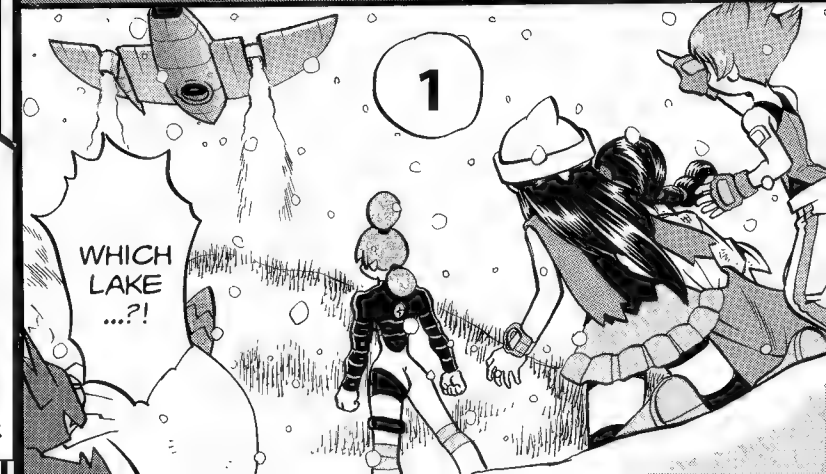
THE  
HATCH IS  
OPENING  
...!!

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THEY'RE  
GOING  
TO  
DROP  
THE  
BOMB  
...!!

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WHICH  
LAKE  
...?!

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# ADVENTURE MAP

## DIAMOND

▶ Lake Verity ◀



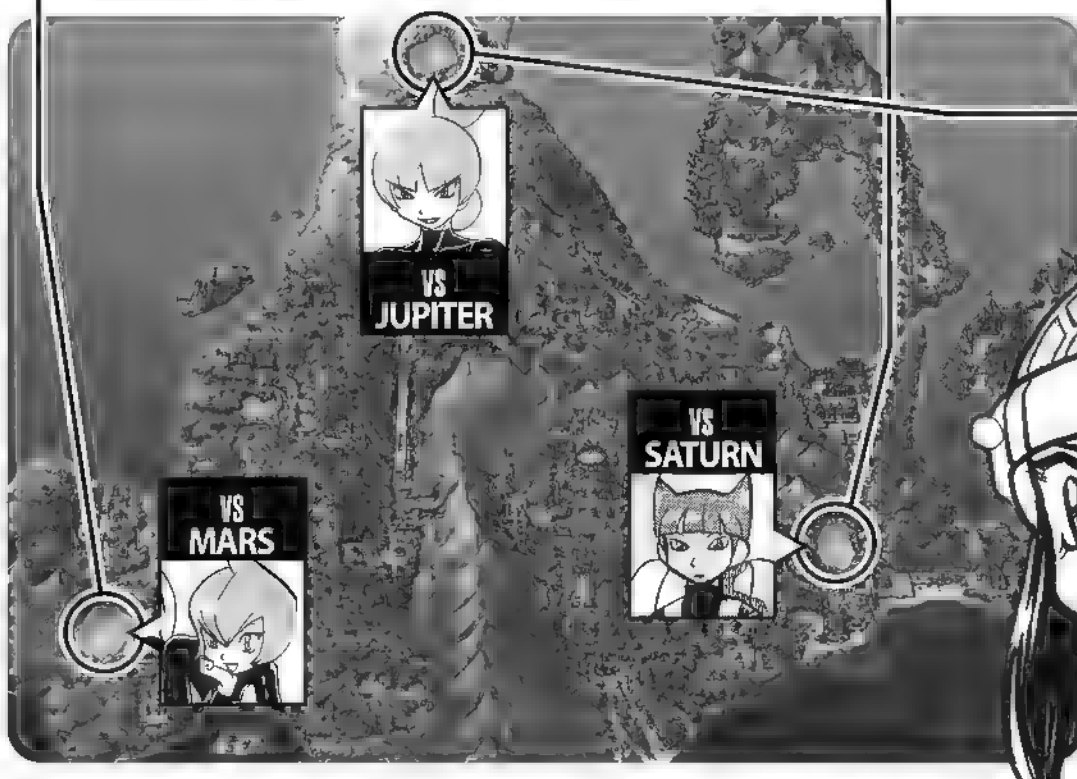
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## PEARL

▶ Lake Valor ◀



▶ <b>CHIMLER</b> Infernape ♂			
▶ <b>CHATLER</b> Chatot ♂			
▶ <b>RAYLER</b> Luxray ♂			



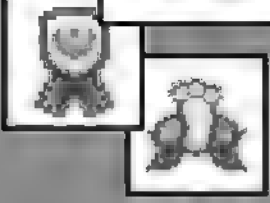
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## PLATINUM

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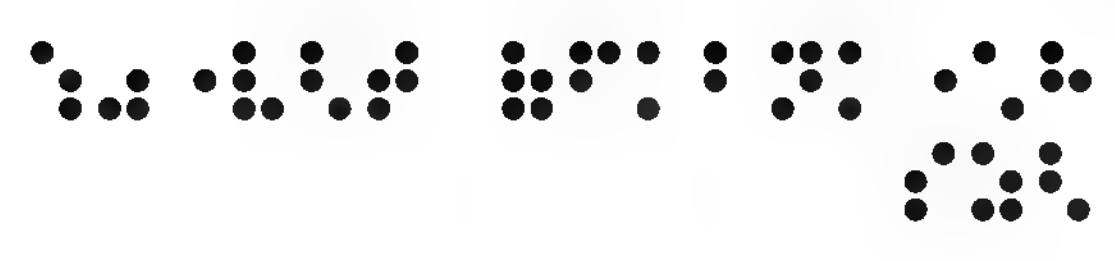
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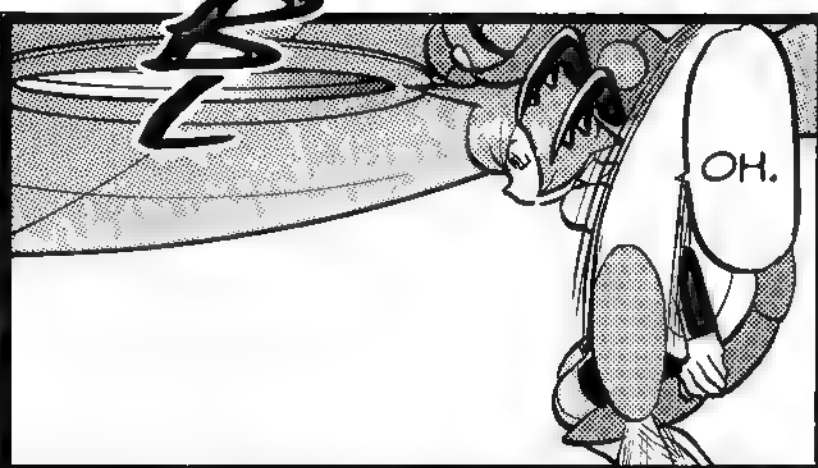
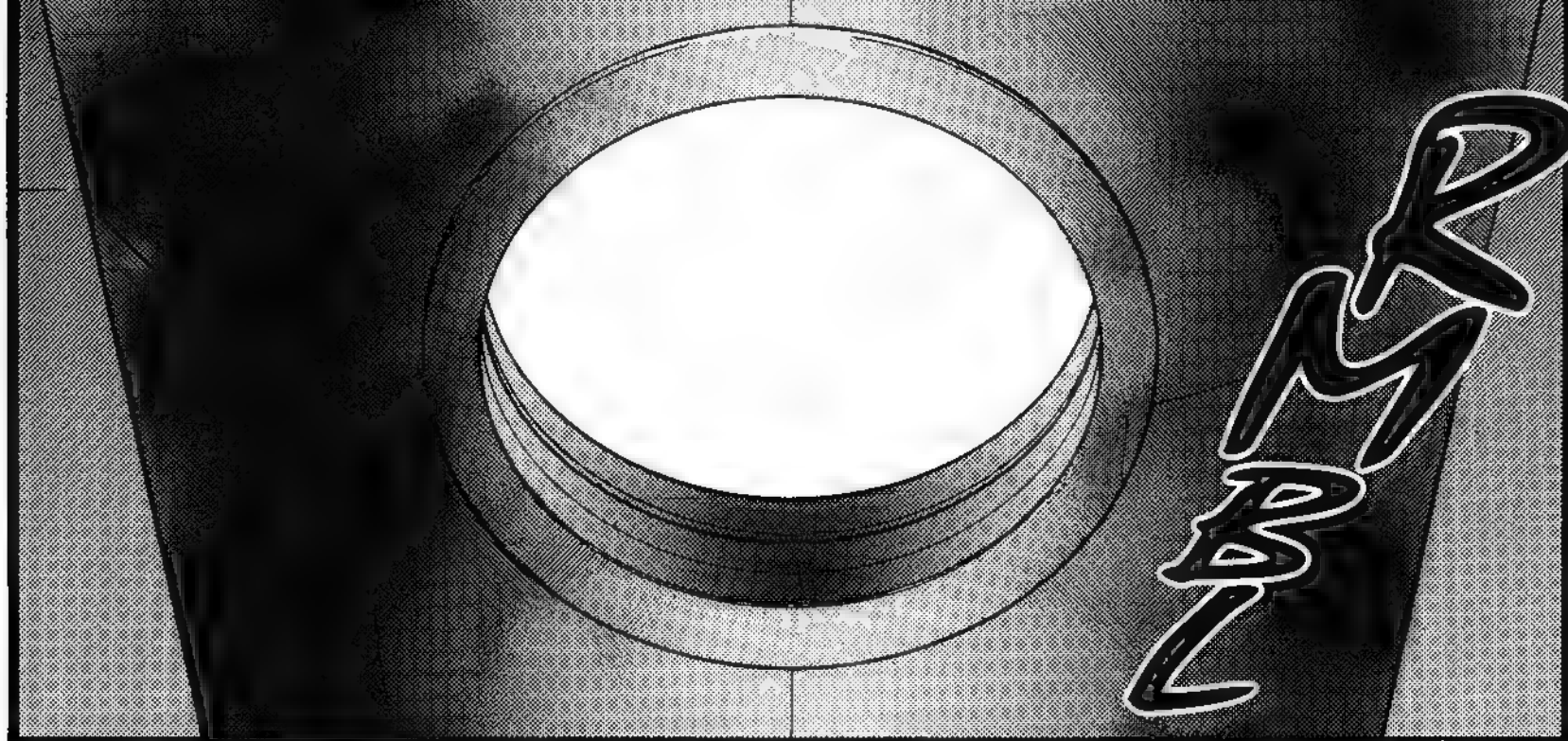




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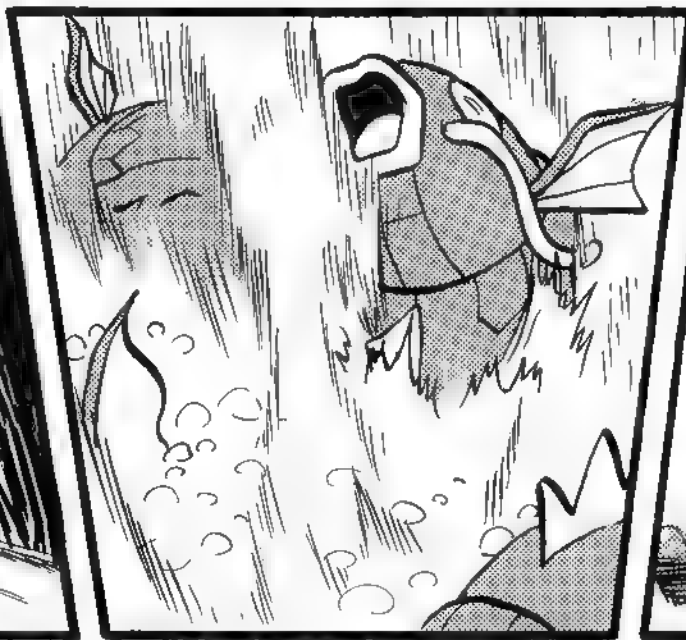
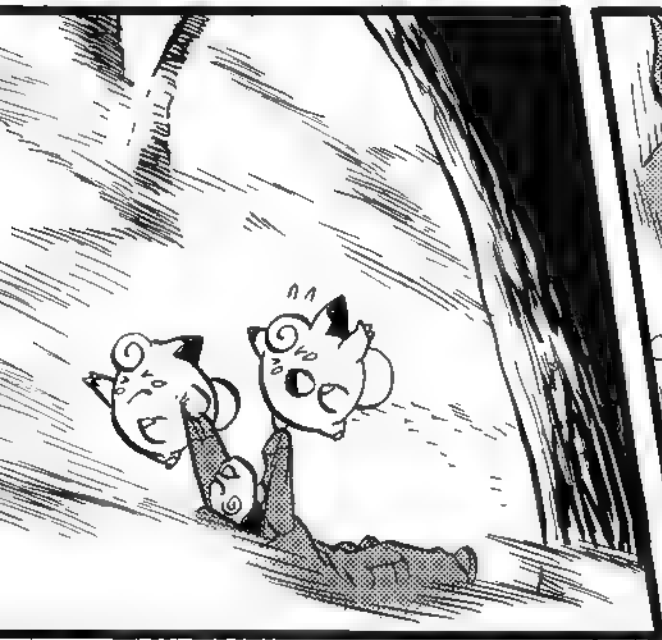
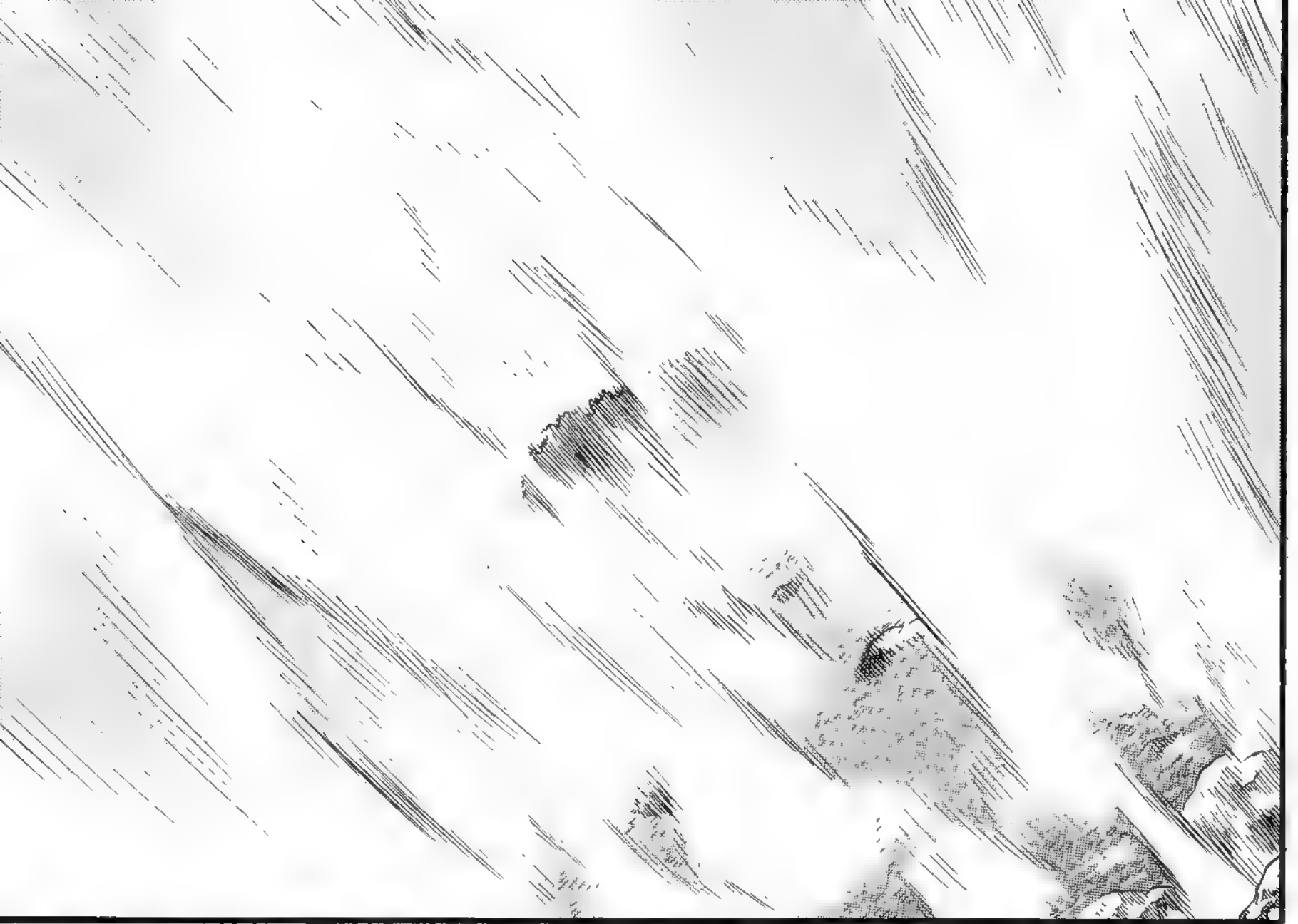
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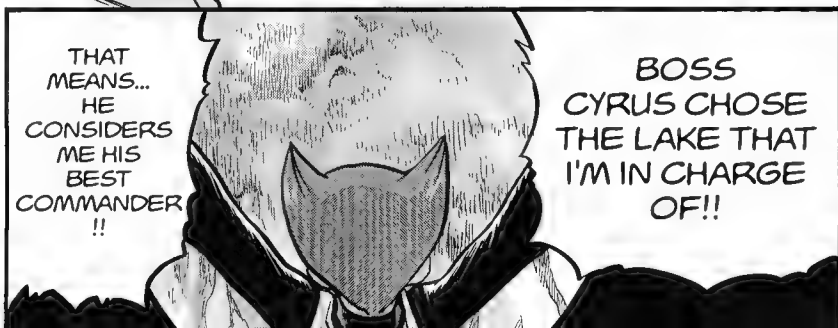
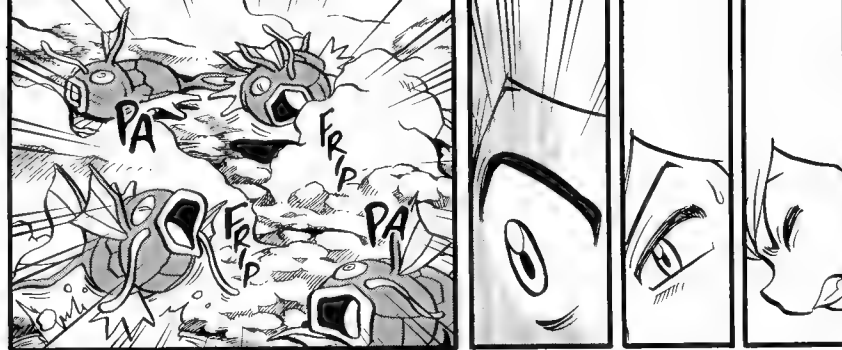


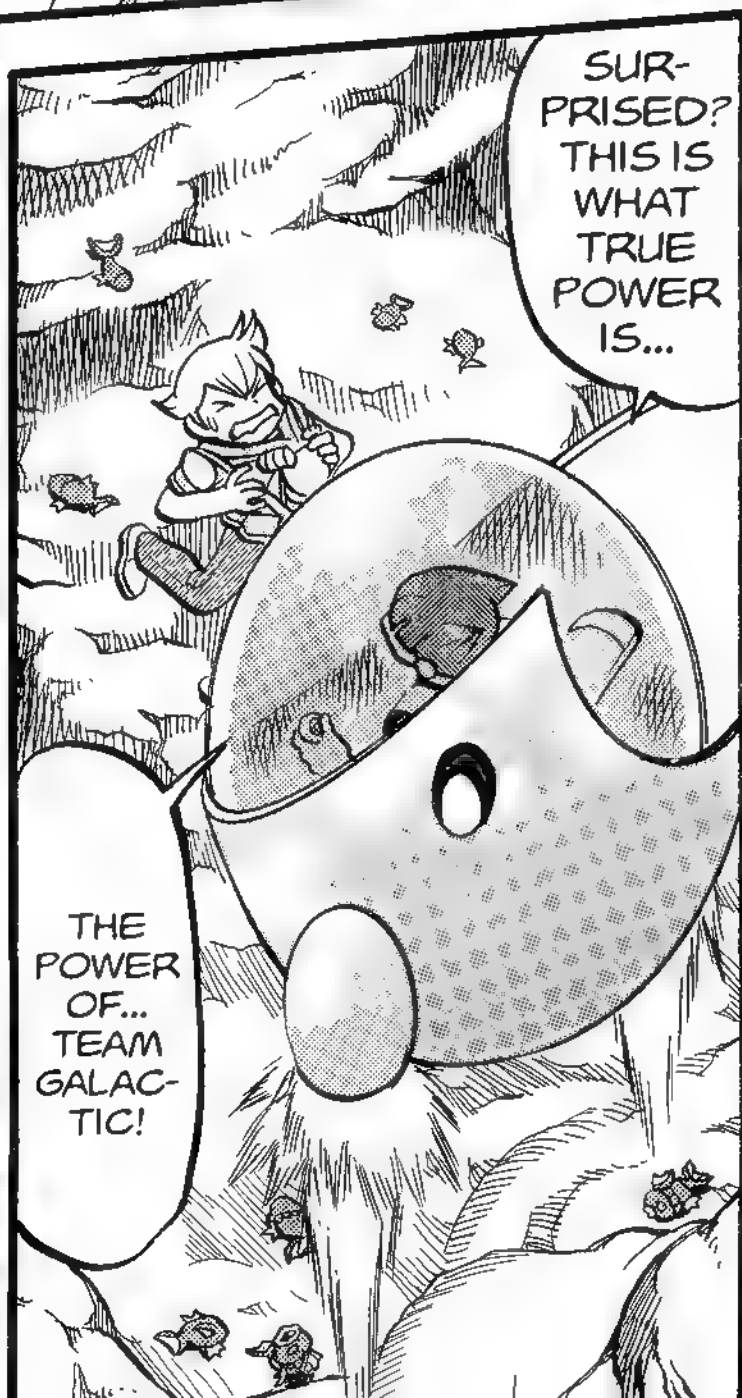
















...A CAVE.

AND I FOUND...



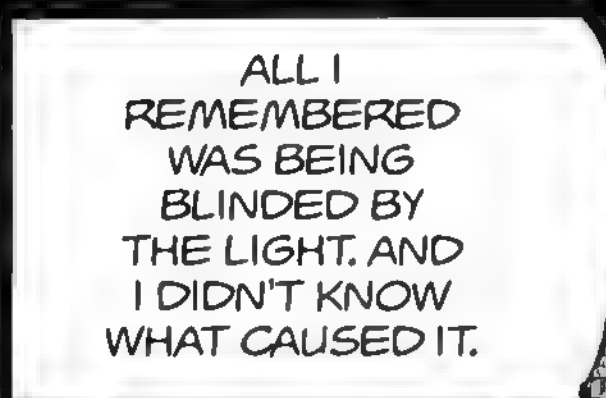
I'VE BEEN HERE BEFORE.



I'VE GOT NOTHING TO HIDE.

WHY NOT ...?

YOU MEAN... TELL YOU HOW COME I HEADED STRAIGHT FOR THE ISLAND AS SOON AS I GOT TO THE LAKE...?



ALL I REMEMBERED WAS BEING BLINDED BY THE LIGHT. AND I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT CAUSED IT.

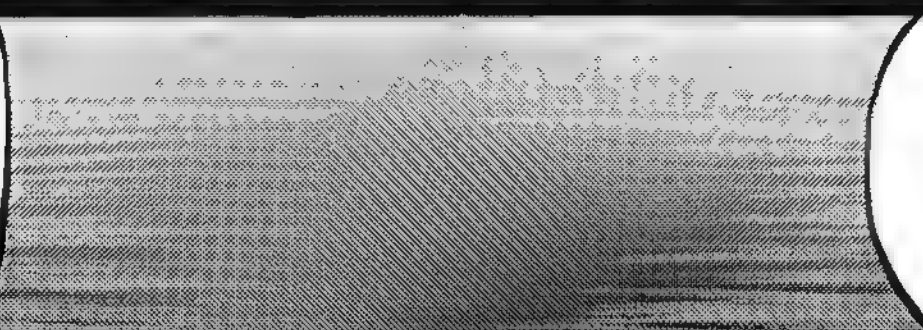


HE TOLD ME HE SAW A FLASH OF LIGHT SHOOT UP FROM THE ISLAND.

DIA WAS STANDING BY THE LAKE WHILE I WAS INSIDE IT...



...I STARTED TO REMEMBER WHAT I SAW BACK THERE...



BUT AFTER A WHILE...



...A PUDDLE ON THE FLOOR OF THE CAVERN...

AND...

THERE WAS...

...A  
BEAUTIFUL  
BLUE-HEADED  
POKÉMON ON  
THE SURFACE  
OF THE  
WATER.

...A  
REFLEC-  
TION OF...

IF THAT  
POKÉMON  
WAS HIDING  
SOMEWHERE  
DEEP DOWN  
IN THE CAVE, I  
WAS GOING TO  
FIND IT USING  
RAYLER'S X-RAY  
VISION...



I  
WANTED  
TO COME  
HERE AND  
INVESTIGATE.

DID YOU  
HEAR  
THAT,  
GRUNTS  
?!  
  
STOMP  
STOMP  
STOMP



...  
AZELF  
!!

WHAT  
YOU  
SAW...

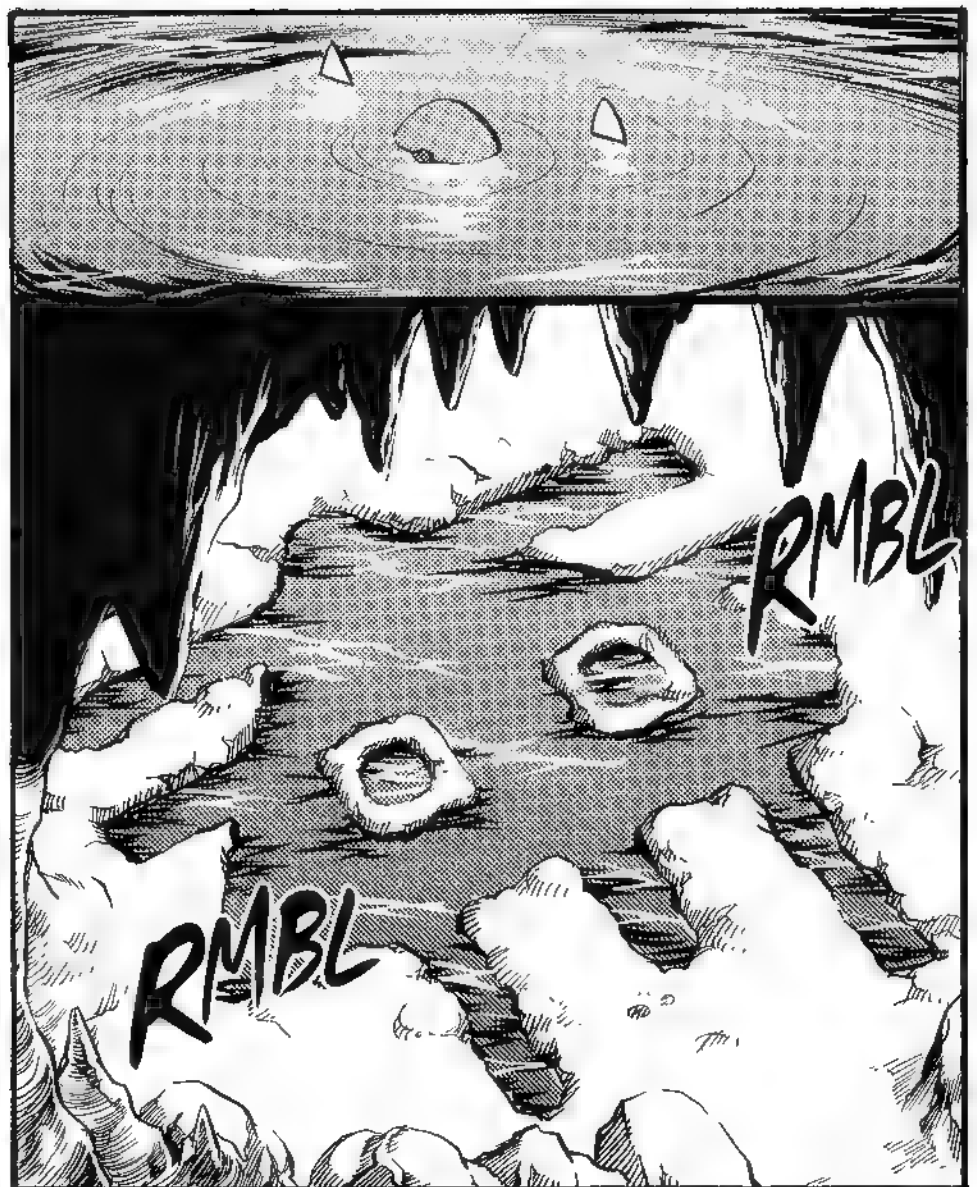
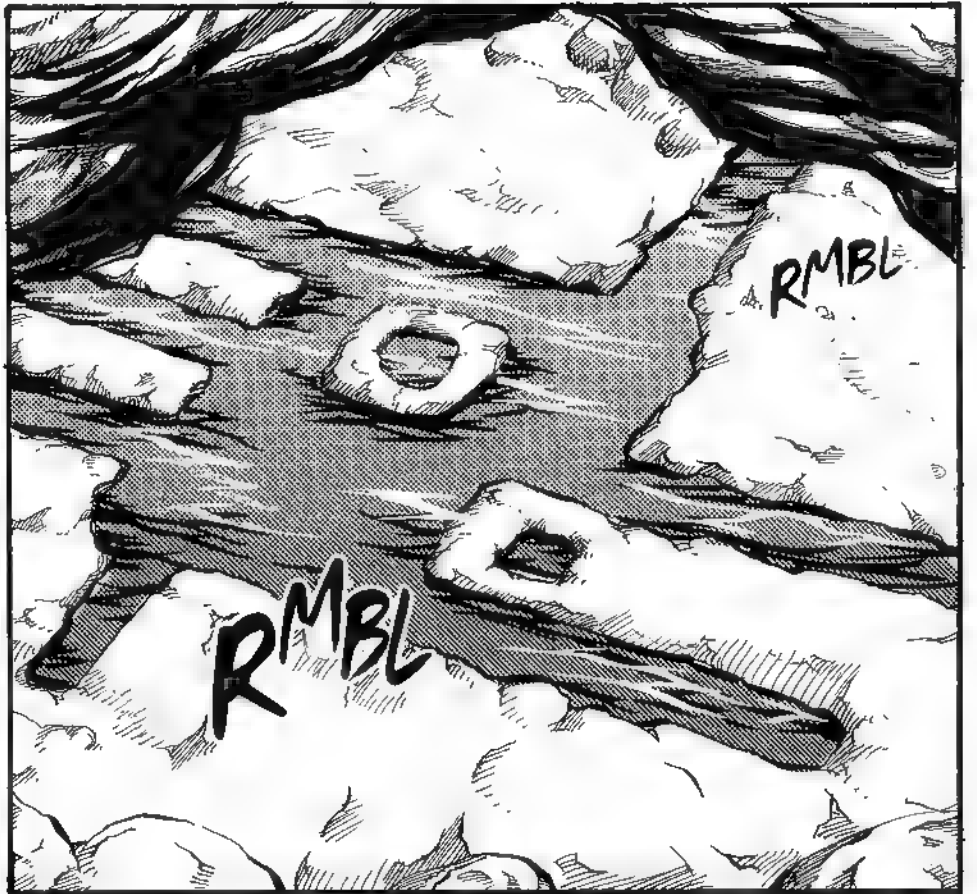
..WAS THE  
WILLPOWER  
POKÉMON  
...

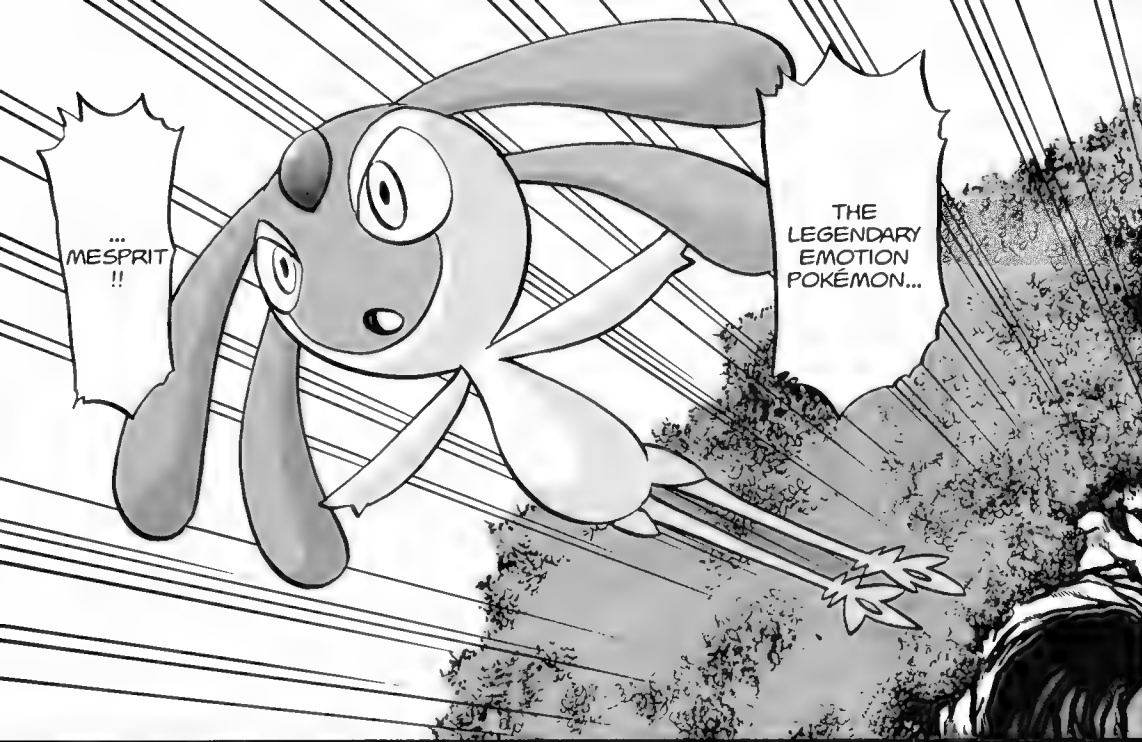
IT'S  
JUST  
AS I  
THOUGHT  
!!  
  
R  
M  
B  
  
IT  
MUST  
HAVE  
AWOKEN  
TEMPO-  
RARILY  
!!











...MESPRIT !!

THE  
LEGENDARY  
EMOTION  
POKÉMON...



EVEN  
THE AIR IS  
SHAKING!!

NO  
...!!

AN  
EARTH-  
QUAKE  
?!

RMBL



IT'S  
HERE  
!!

IT'S  
COM-  
ING  
OUT!!

RMBL

RMBL



THE  
LEGENDARY  
KNOWLEDGE  
POKÉMON...

...UXIE!!



EVERY-  
THING  
IS  
SHAKING  
...!!

RMBL



...ALL  
OF  
THEM.

THE  
EXPLOSION  
AT THE  
LAKE...IT'S  
AWOKEN  
...

RMBL

RMBL





THAT  
POKÉ-  
MON  
IS...



THAT'S  
...



SOME-  
THING IS  
FLYING  
OUT...!



...  
POKÉ-  
MON  
BEFORE!



NO  
DOUBT  
ABOUT  
IT! I'VE...

...MET  
THAT...

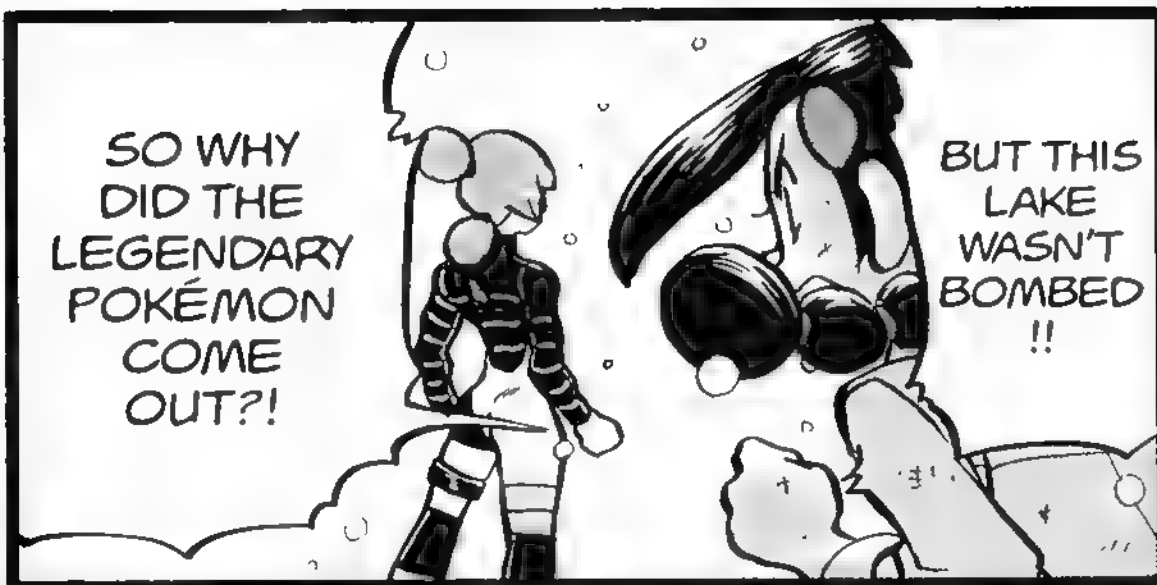


I'VE  
NEVER  
SEEN...

...A  
POKÉ-  
MON  
LIKE  
THAT  
BE-  
FORE!

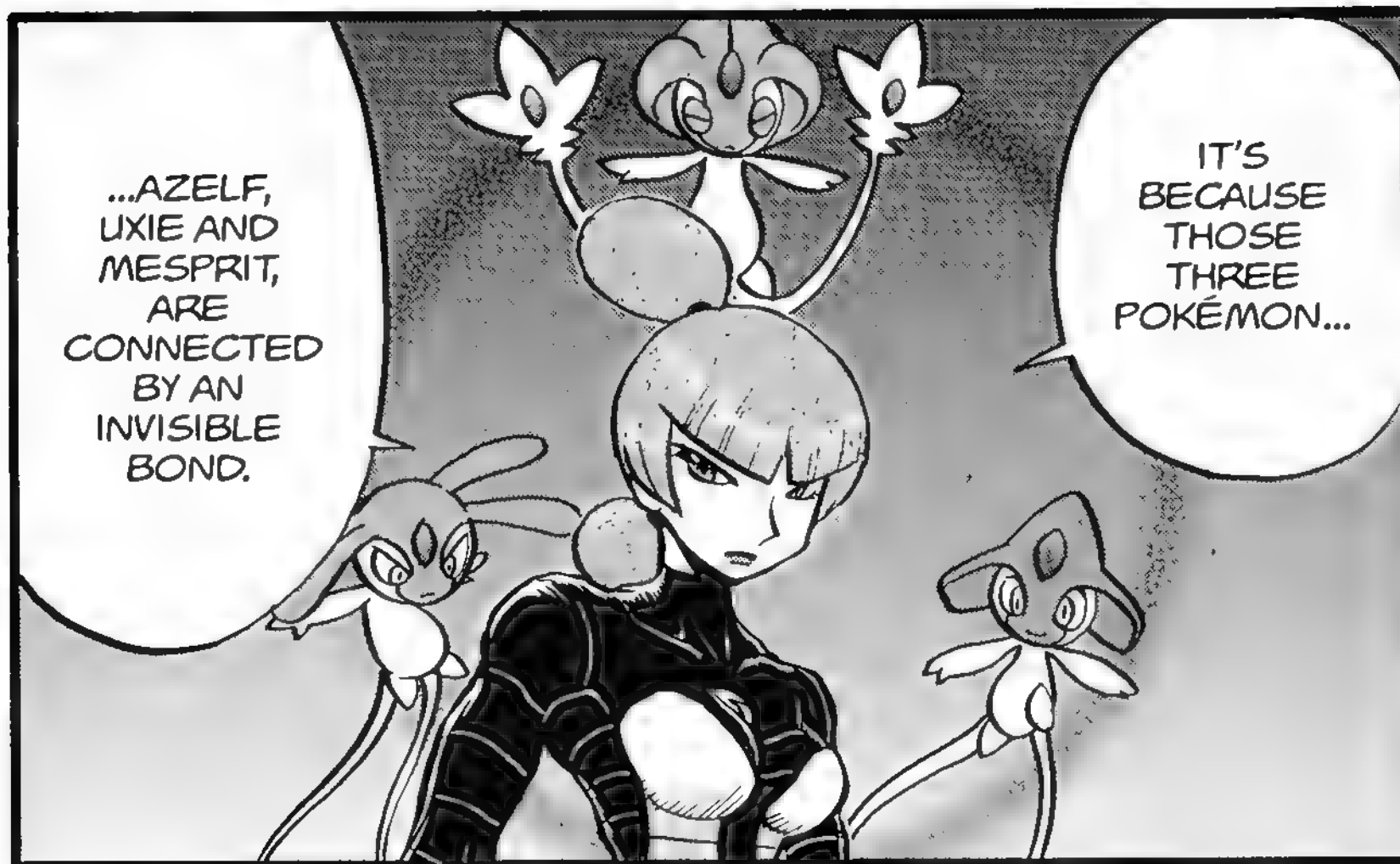


SHALL I ENLIGHTEN YOU?



SO WHY DID THE LEGENDARY POKÉMON COME OUT?!

BUT THIS LAKE WASN'T BOMBED !!



...AZELF, UXIE AND MESPRIT, ARE CONNECTED BY AN INVISIBLE BOND.

IT'S BECAUSE THOSE THREE POKÉMON...



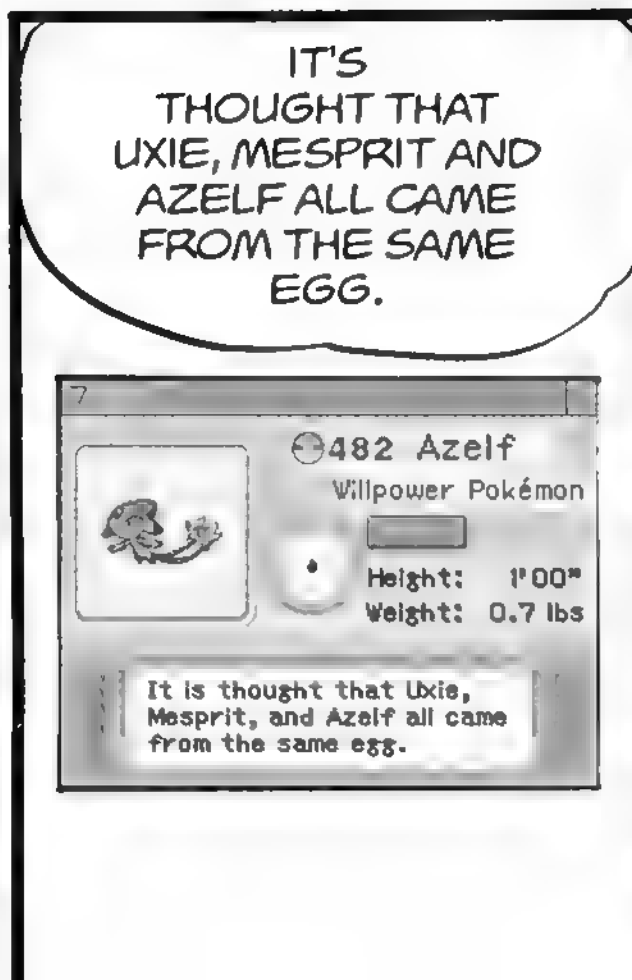
...ALL OF THEM WOKE UP.

IN OTHER WORDS, SINCE ONE OF THEM WOKE UP...

GET IT...?



SINCE THEY ARE SO CLOSELY BONDED, IF SOMETHING HAPPENS TO ONE OF THEM, THE OTHER TWO ARE AFFECTED AS WELL.



IT'S THOUGHT THAT UXIE, MESPRIT AND AZELF ALL CAME FROM THE SAME EGG.

482 Azelf  
Willpower Pokémon

Height: 1'00"  
Weight: 0.7 lbs

It is thought that Uxie, Mesprit, and Azelf all came from the same egg.

DO IT,  
TANGROWTH  
!!

...LAY  
EYES  
ON  
UXIE!

WHAT-  
EVER.  
DOESN'T  
MATTER  
ANYWAY,  
SINCE...

NO  
...?

# STRETCH

...THIS  
IS THE  
FIRST  
AND  
LAST  
TIME  
YOU WILL  
EVER...

WE  
WON'T  
LET YOU!  
FROS-  
LASS!!

## TOSS

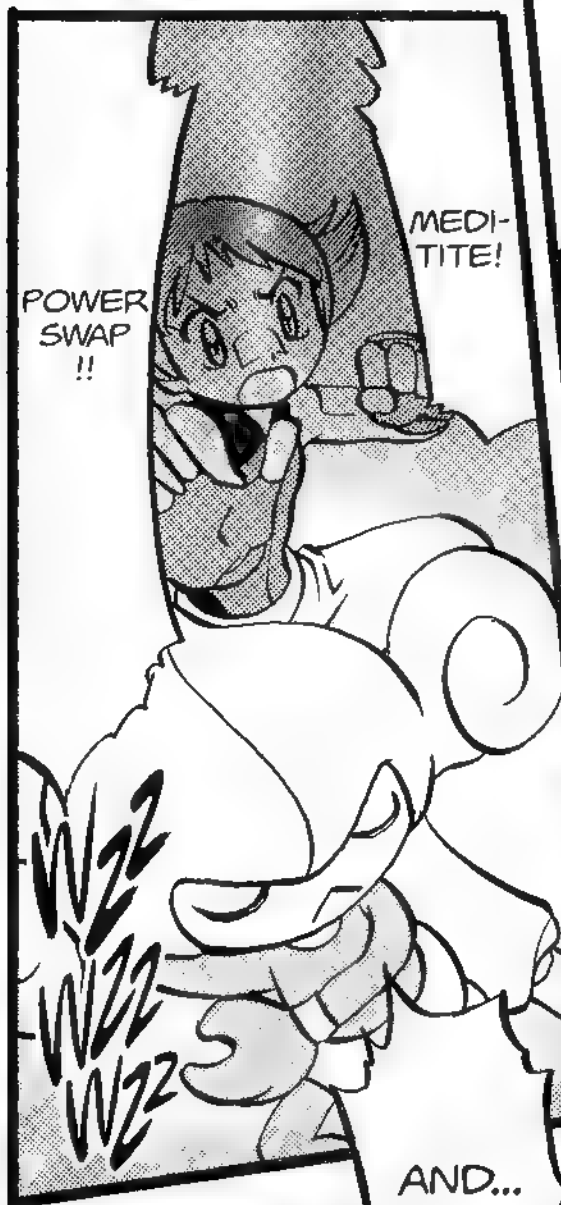
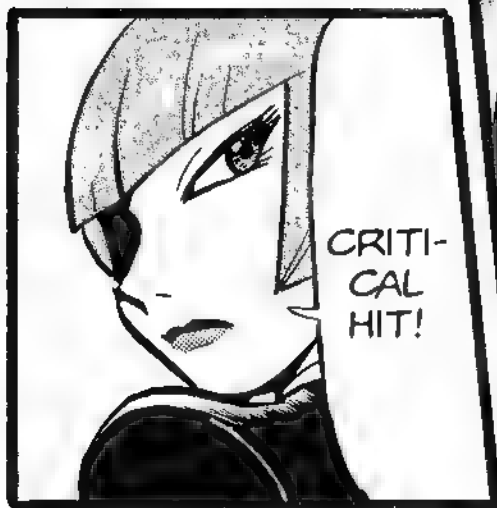
SHE'S  
TRY-  
ING  
TO  
CAP-  
TURE  
IT!!

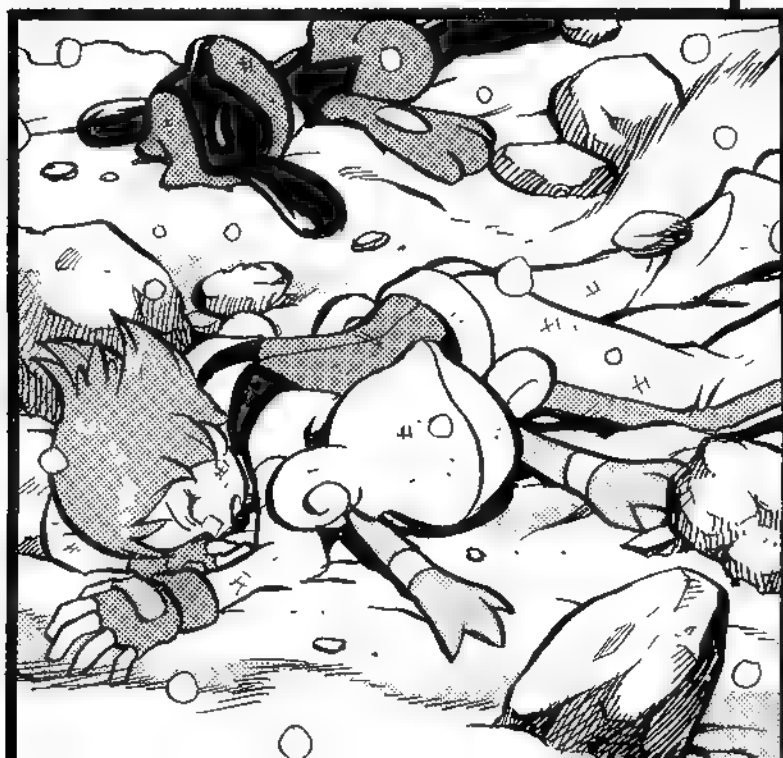
STONE  
EDGE!

## BOMB

## REEEACH



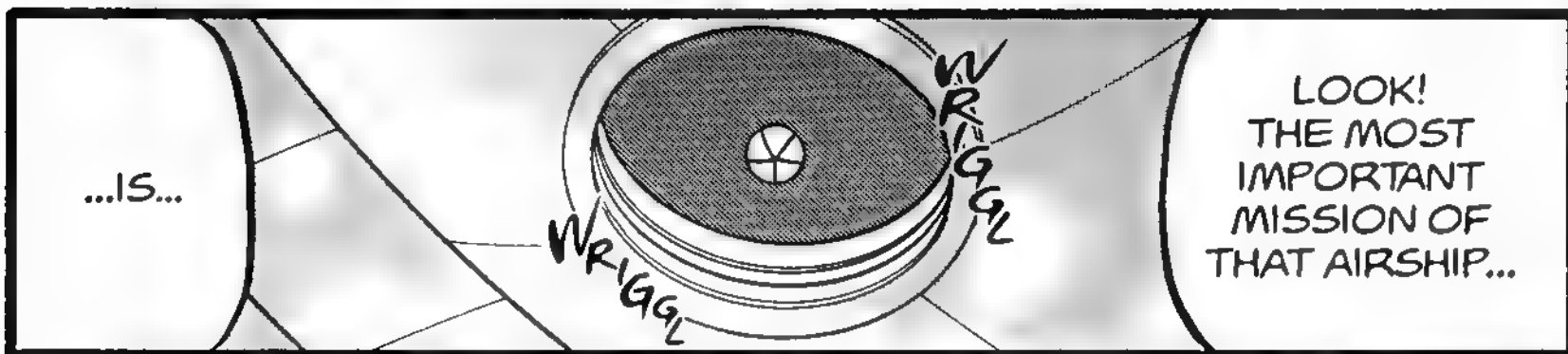






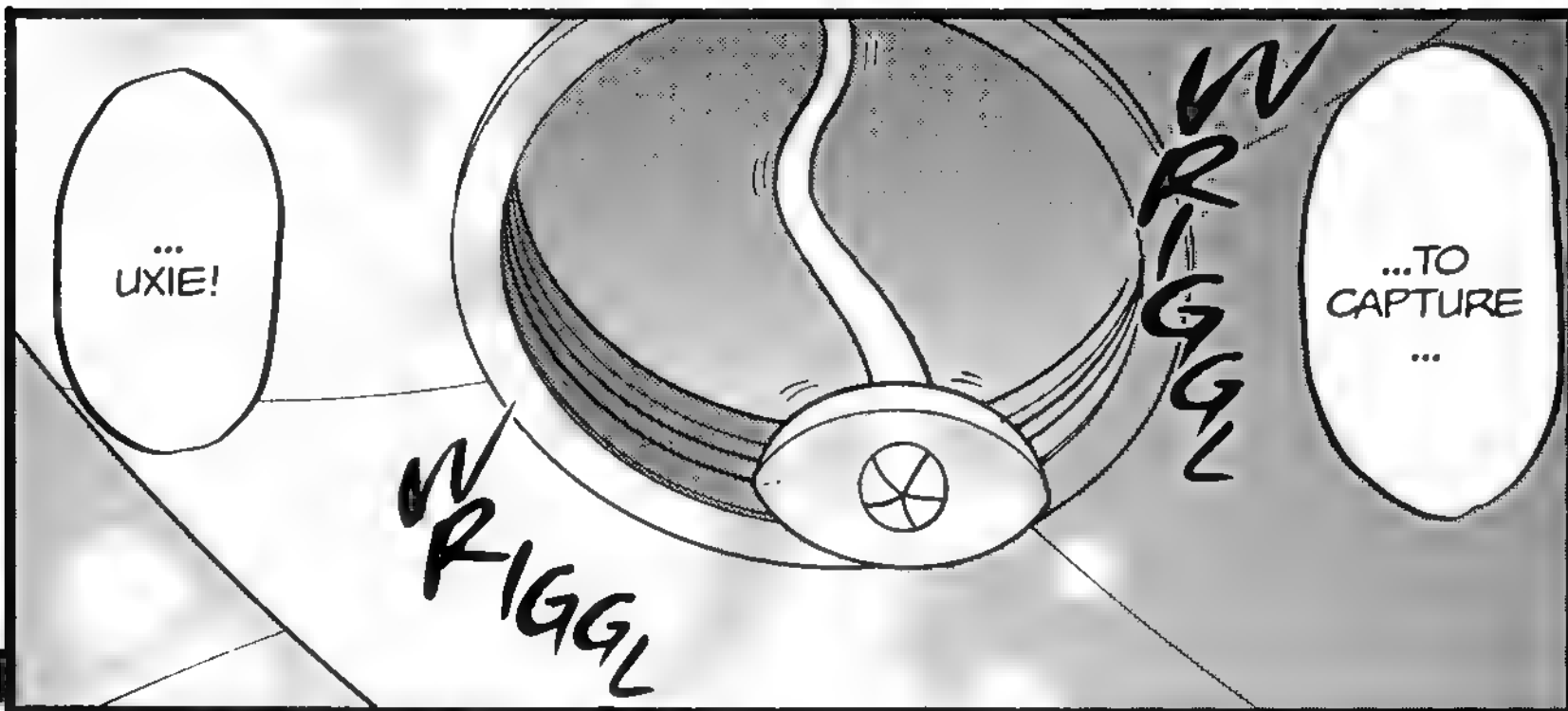
...THAT  
WOULDN'T  
STOP TEAM  
GALACTIC.

SUCH  
POINTLESS  
MOVES.  
EVEN IF YOU  
ATTACKED  
ME  
DIRECTLY...



...IS...

LOOK!  
THE MOST  
IMPORTANT  
MISSION OF  
THAT AIRSHIP...

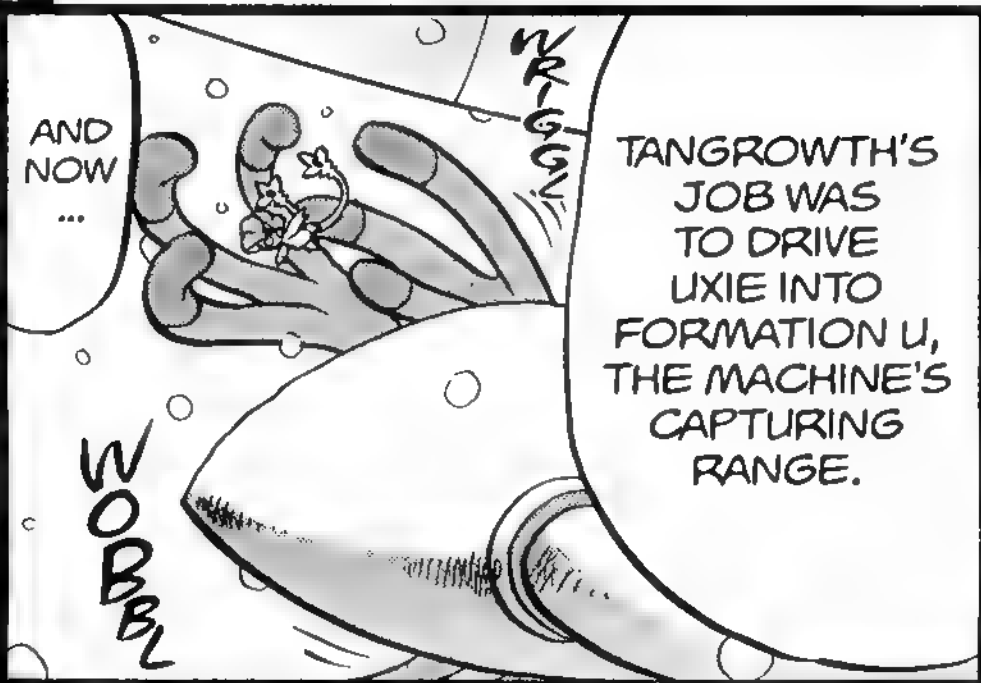


...  
UXIE!

...TO  
CAPTURE  
...



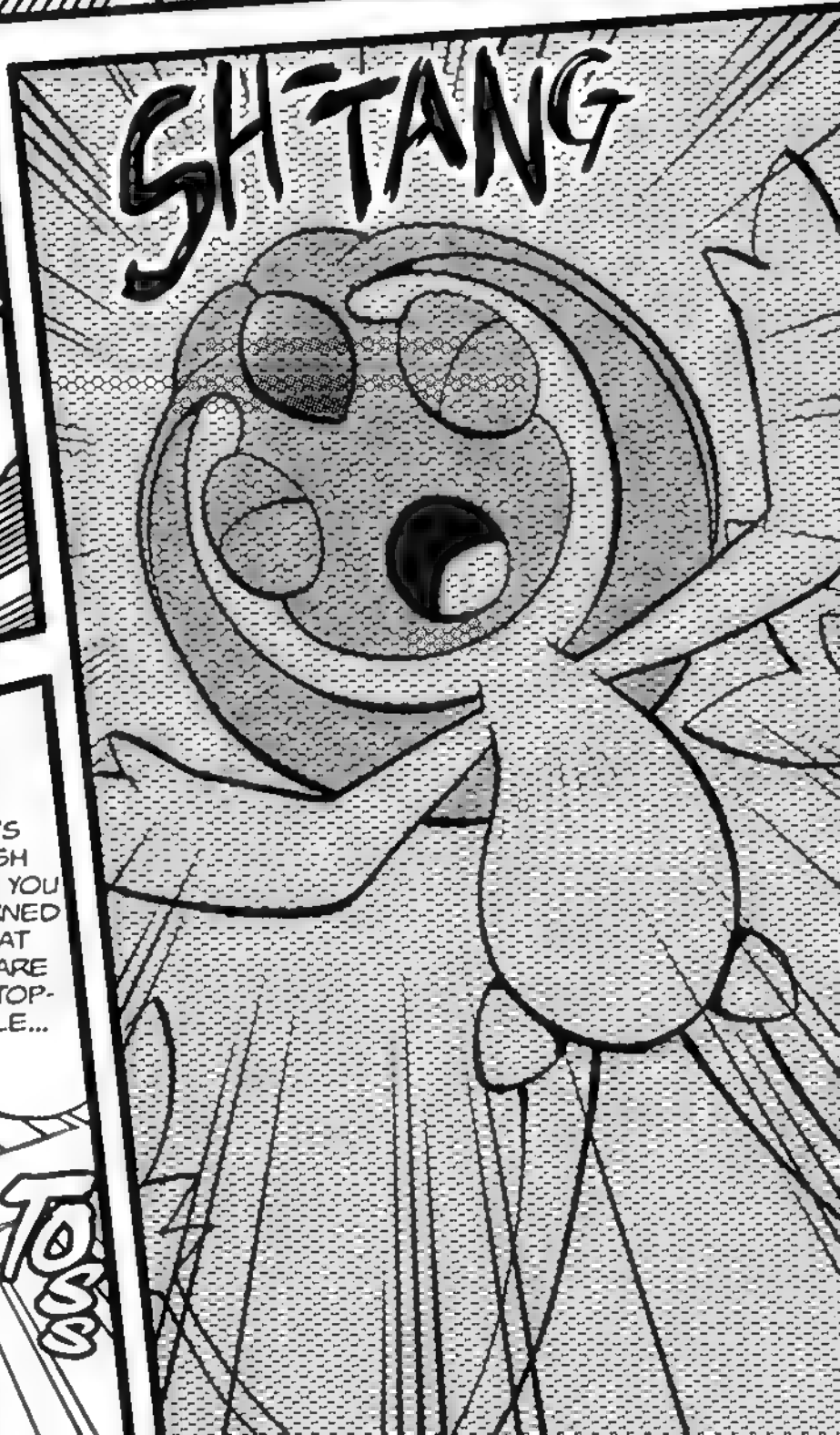
...THAT  
TASK IS  
COM-  
PLETE!

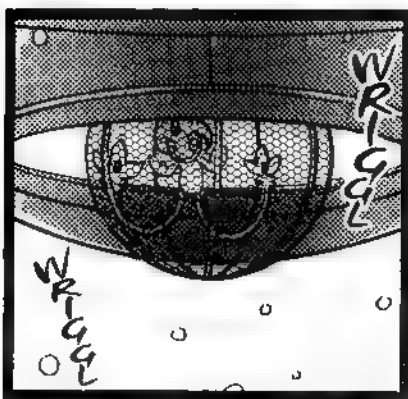
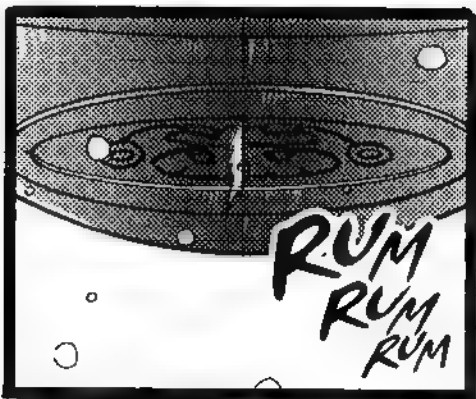


AND  
NOW  
...

TANGROWTH'S  
JOB WAS  
TO DRIVE  
UXIE INTO  
FORMATION U,  
THE MACHINE'S  
CAPTURING  
RANGE.







# ADVENTURE MAP

## DIAMOND

▶ Lake Verity ◀



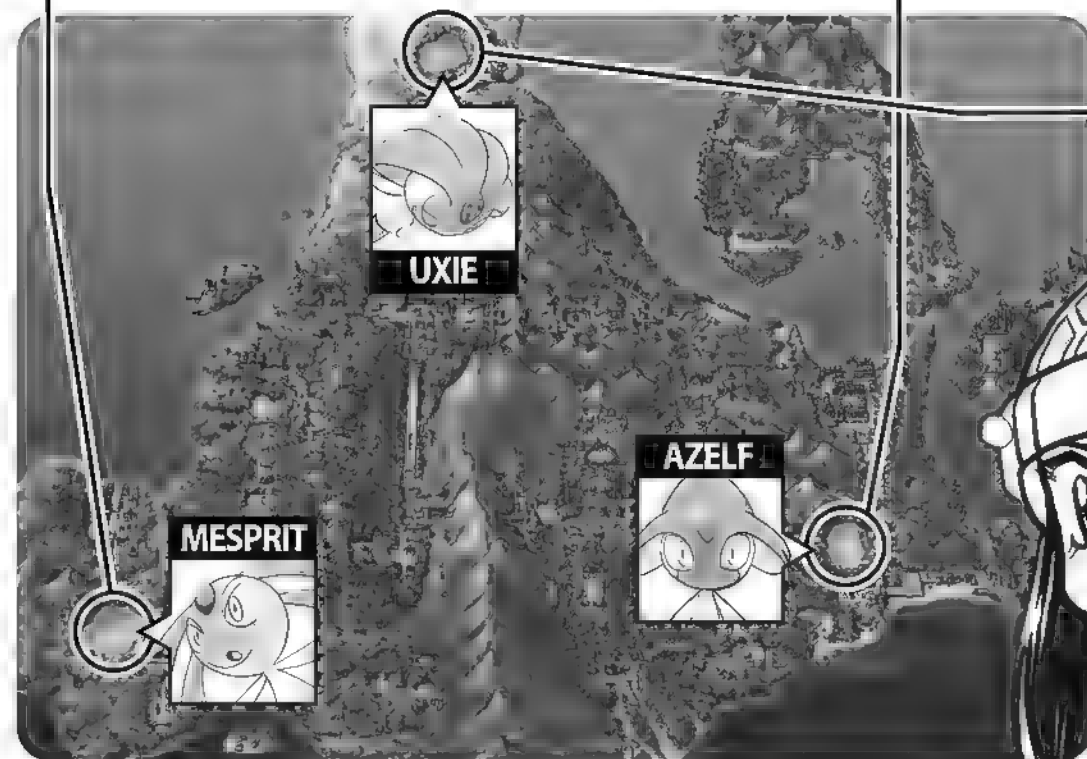
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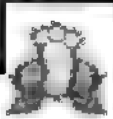
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# Mixing It Up with Machamp

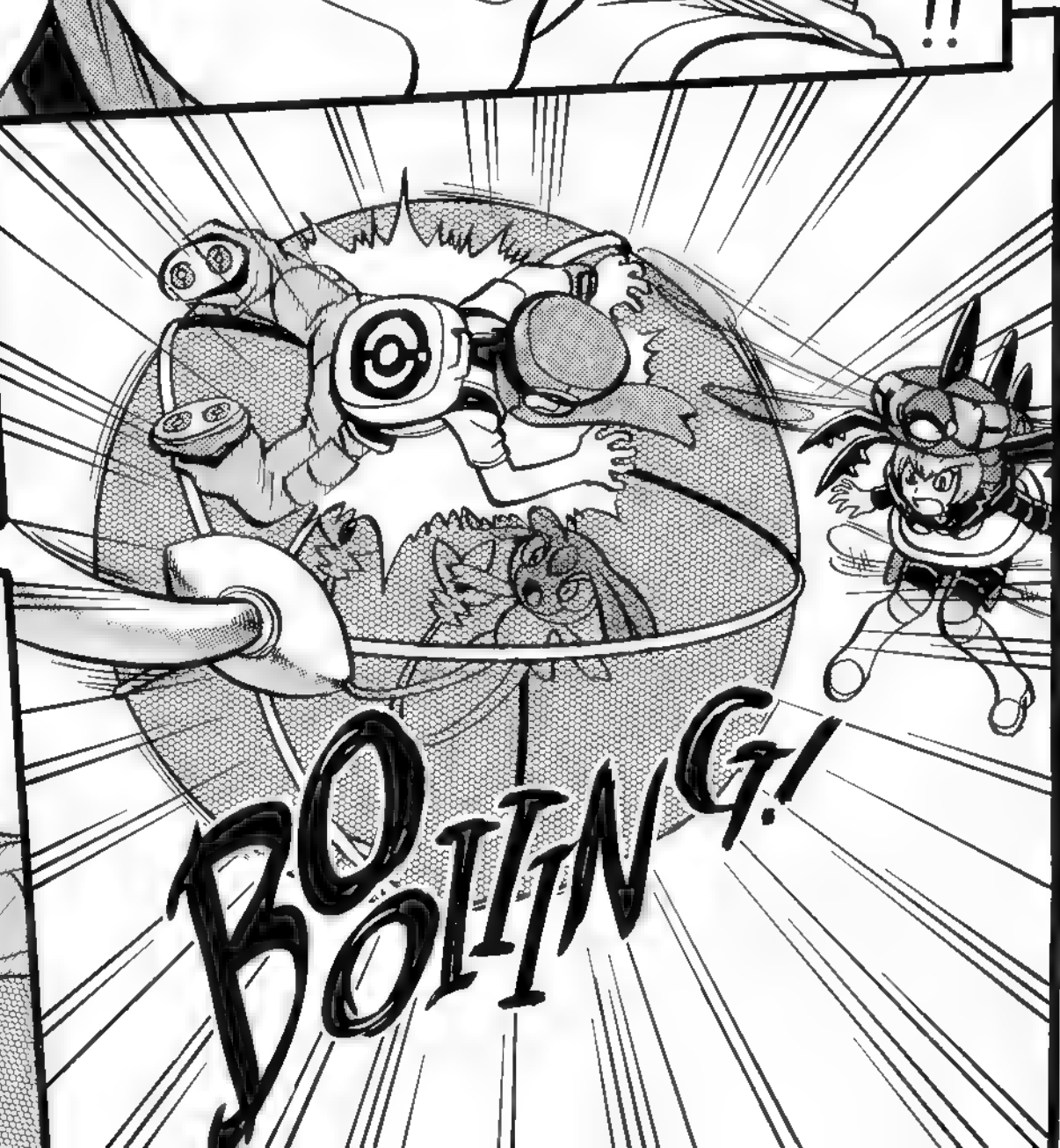


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WONDERFUL,  
ISN'T IT? THIS IS  
FORMATION M!  
A FORMATION  
THE GRUNTS HAVE  
CONSTRUCTED  
TO CAPTURE  
MESPRIT.







BUT  
FIRST

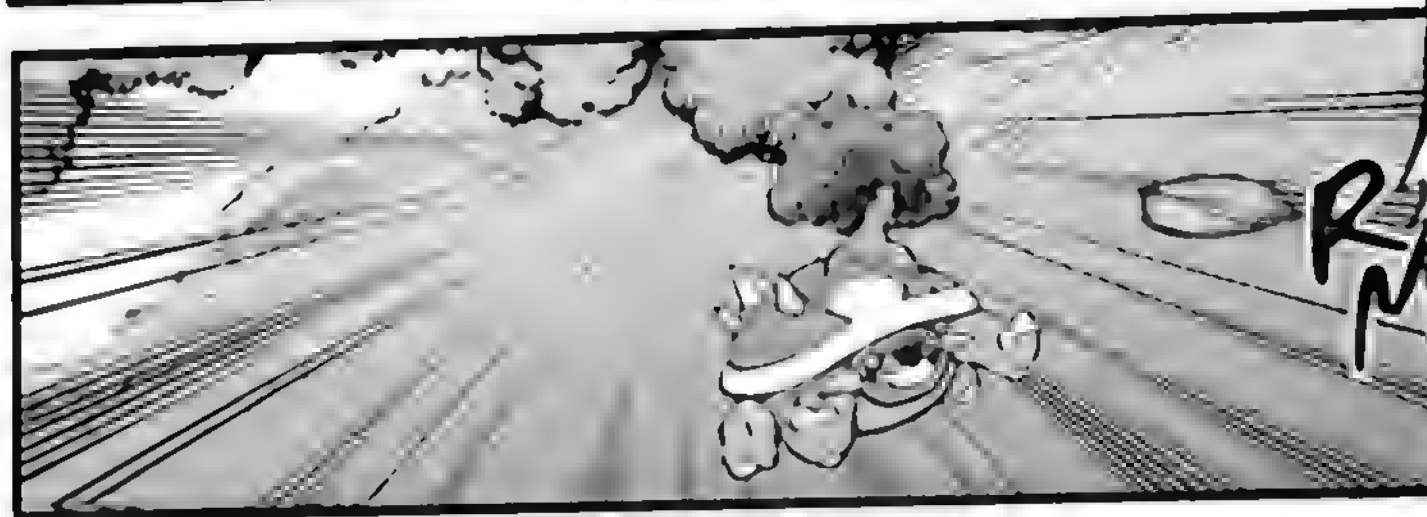
THERE'S  
A LAKE  
BELOW...  
EVEN IF WE  
FALL, TRU  
AND I WON'T  
GET HURT!



TRU  
!!!



...  
RAZOR  
LEAF!!



IT'S  
TIME  
FOR...

...THE  
DIAMOND  
SPECIAL  
...

...  
MACH  
ONE-  
AND-  
ONLY!!!





YOU'RE TRYING TO CUT THE NET OPEN, AREN'T YOU!!

BUT I'LL REPEL THE ATTACK—JUST AS I DID BACK AT THE LAB!!



...USE AN ORDINARY RAZOR LEAF!!

AND NOW, TRU ...



A SINGLE— BUT HIGH— SPEED— RAZOR LEAF!!



WHERE'S MESPRITT?  
AND  
WHERE'S  
THAT  
BOY?

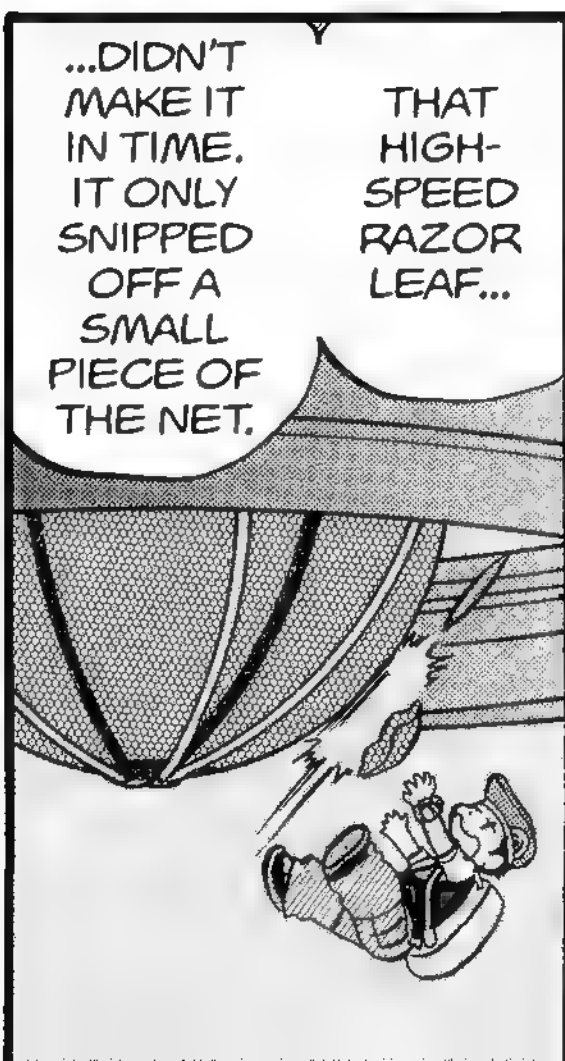
WHAT  
HAP-  
PENED  
?

WHERE'S MESPRITT?  
AND  
WHERE'S  
THAT  
BOY?

WHAT  
HAP-  
PENED  
?

00000!!

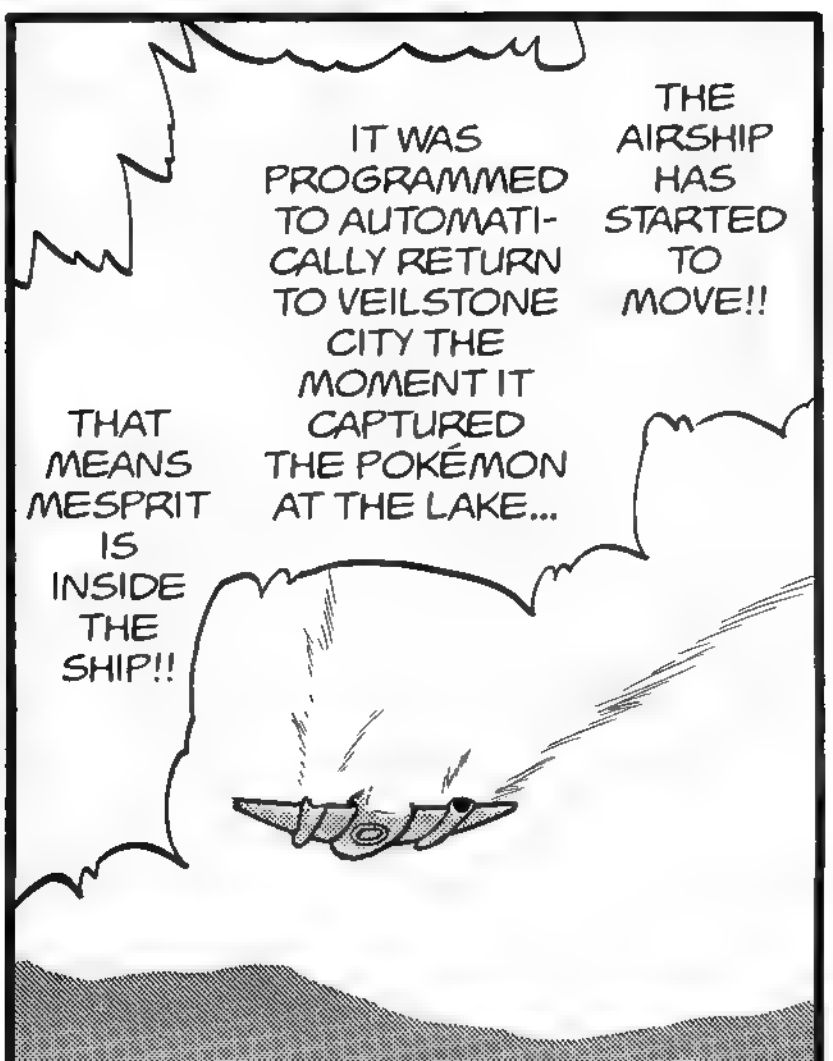
A close-up, black and white manga-style illustration of a character's face. The character has dark, sharp eyes and a serious expression. A white tag with the word 'SNAKE' written in black, stylized capital letters is attached to their forehead. The character's hair is dark and short. The background is plain white.



...DIDN'T  
MAKE IT  
IN TIME.  
IT ONLY  
SNIPPED  
OFF A  
SMALL  
PIECE OF  
THE NET.

THAT  
HIGH-  
SPEED  
RAZOR  
LEAF...

I WAS  
WORRIED  
FOR A  
MOMENT  
THERE...  
BUT IT  
APPEARS  
THIS  
MISSION  
IS A  
SUCCESS  
!!



IT WAS  
PROGRAMMED  
TO AUTOMATI-  
CALLY RETURN  
TO VEILSTONE  
CITY THE  
MOMENT IT  
CAPTURED  
THE POKÉMON  
AT THE LAKE...

THE  
AIRSHIP  
HAS  
STARTED  
TO  
MOVE!!

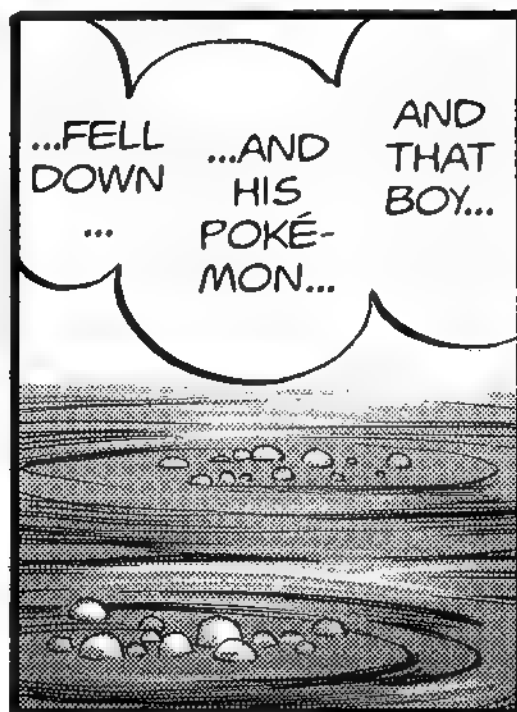
THAT  
MEANS  
MESPRIT  
IS  
INSIDE  
THE  
SHIP!!





AHA-  
HAHA-  
HAHA-  
HA!!

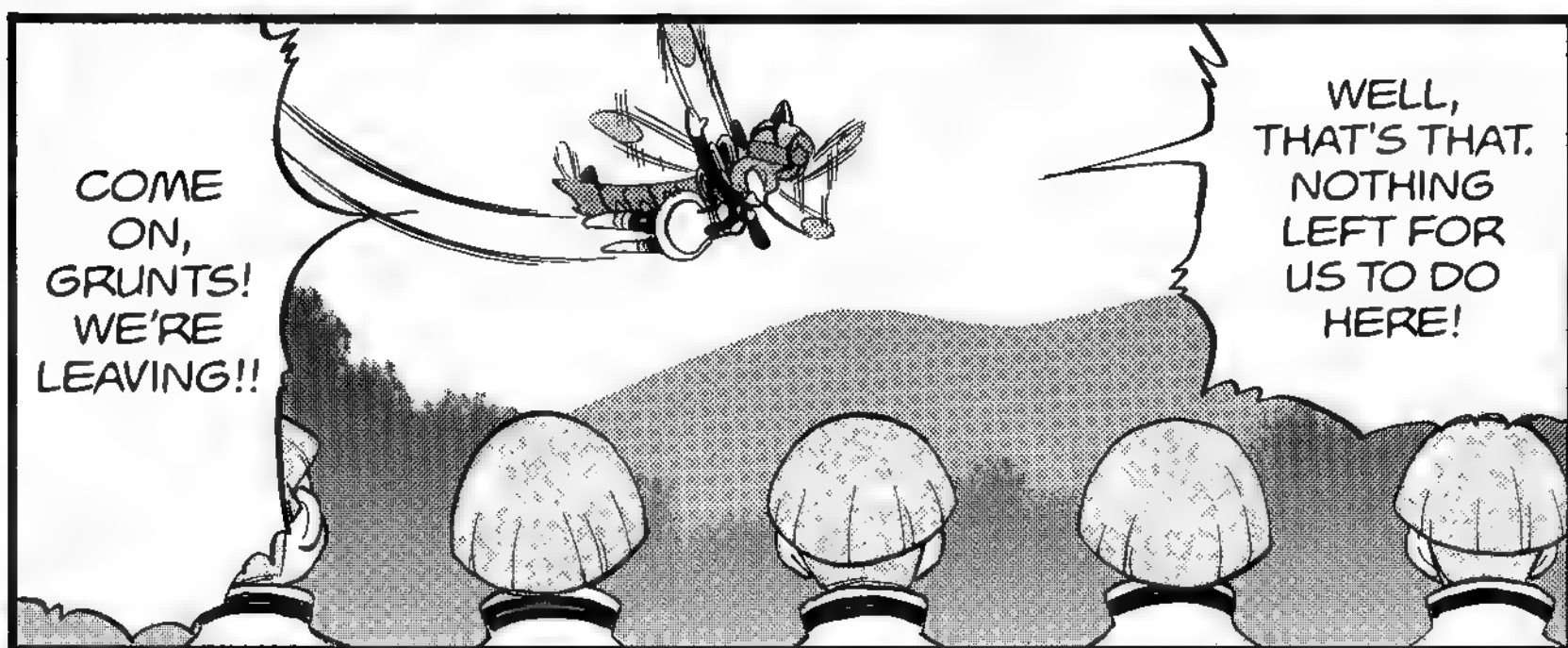
SPLASH!  
SPLASH!!



...FELL  
DOWN  
...

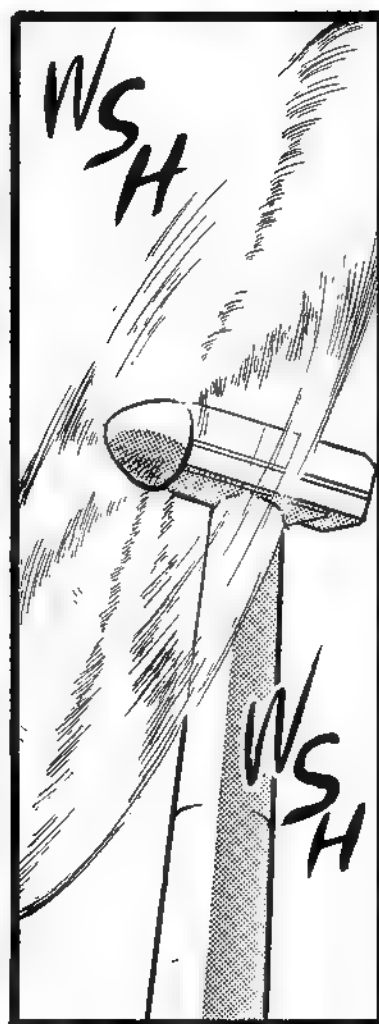
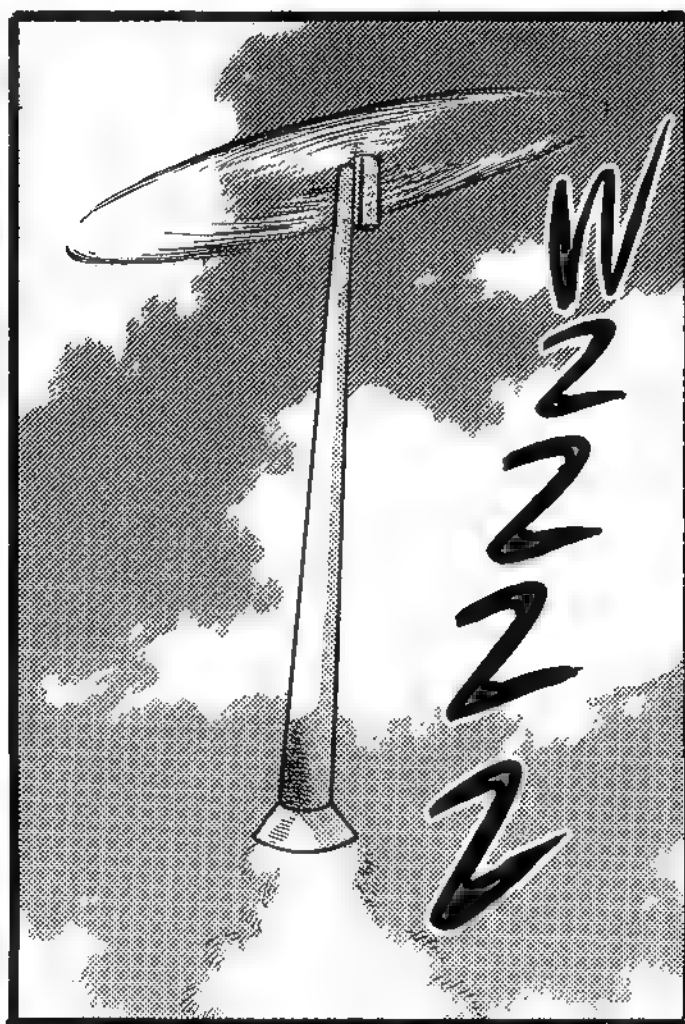
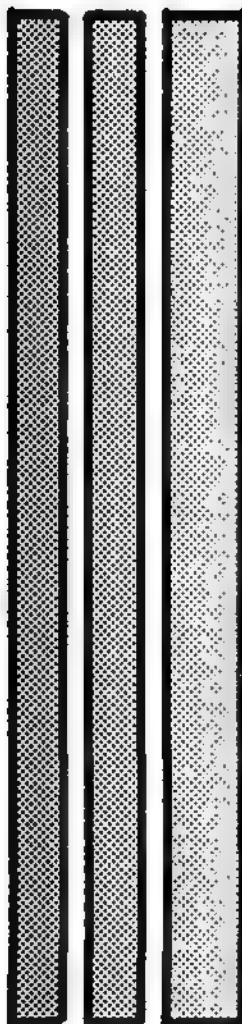
...AND  
HIS  
POKÉ-  
MON...

AND  
THAT  
BOY...

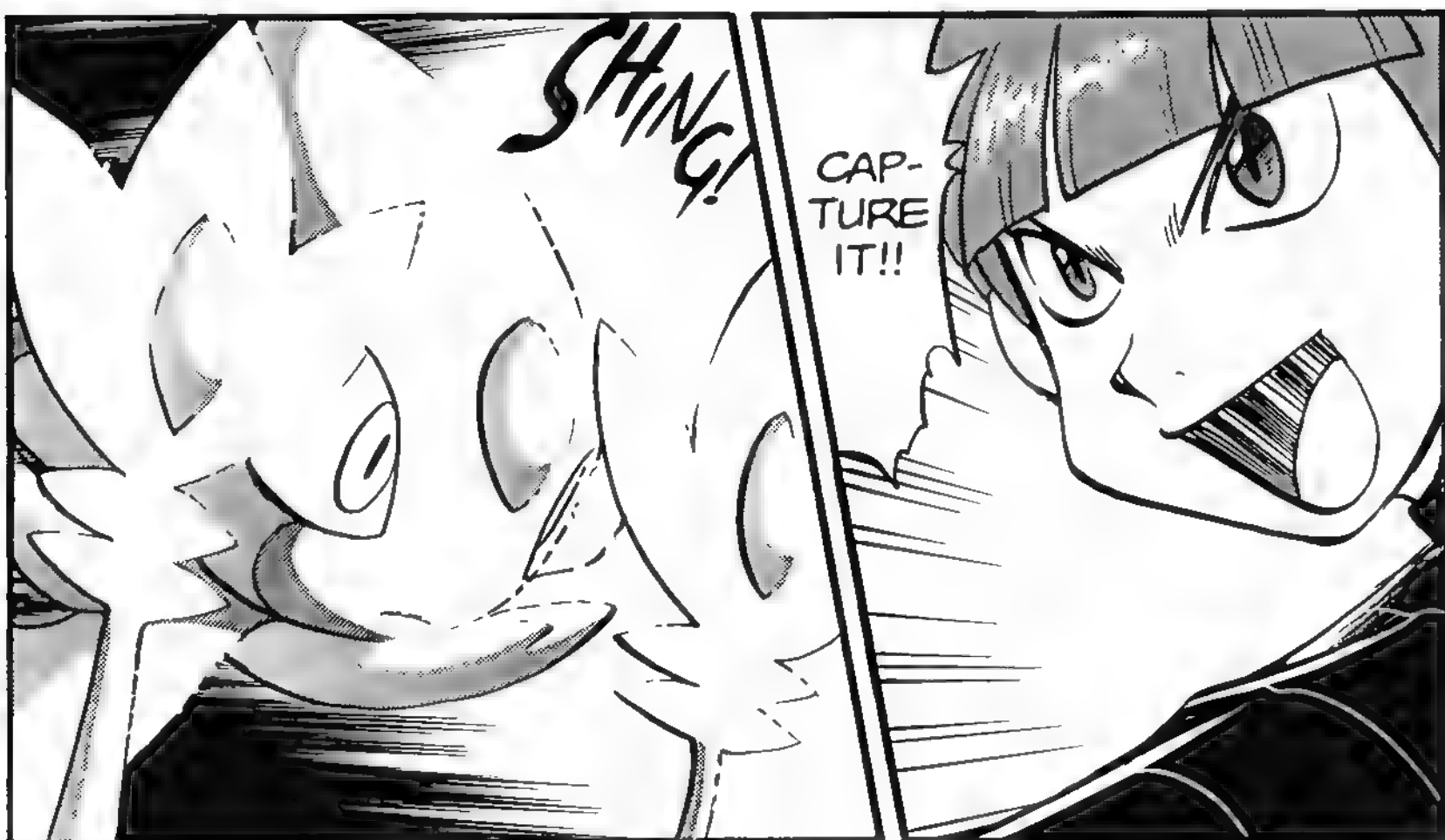


COME  
ON,  
GRUNTS!  
WE'RE  
LEAVING!!

WELL,  
THAT'S THAT.  
NOTHING  
LEFT FOR  
US TO DO  
HERE!

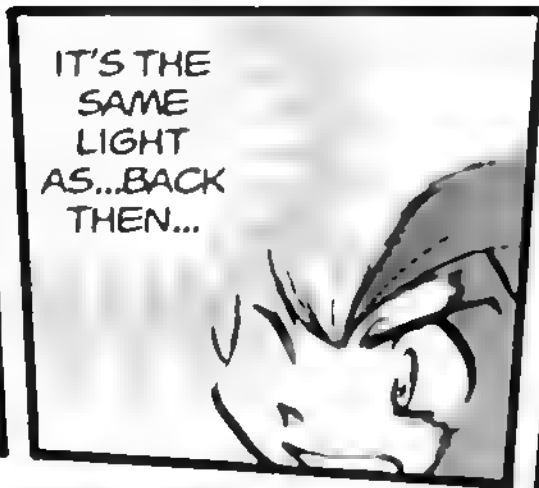
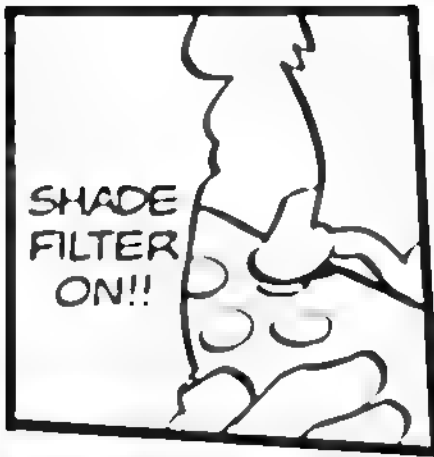






SHING!

CAP-  
TURE  
IT!!



FINALLY,  
I GET WHAT  
DIA WAS  
SAYING  
BACK AT  
CELESTIC  
TOWN!!

I DON'T  
KNOW HOW  
TO EXPLAIN  
IT, BUT...  
I JUST  
KNOW I'M  
DOING THE  
RIGHT  
THING!

WE  
CAN'T  
LET...

...  
THOSE  
EVIL-  
DOERS  
GET  
AHOLD  
OF  
THAT  
POKÉ-  
MON!!

WE  
HAVE TO  
PROTECT  
THEM!!

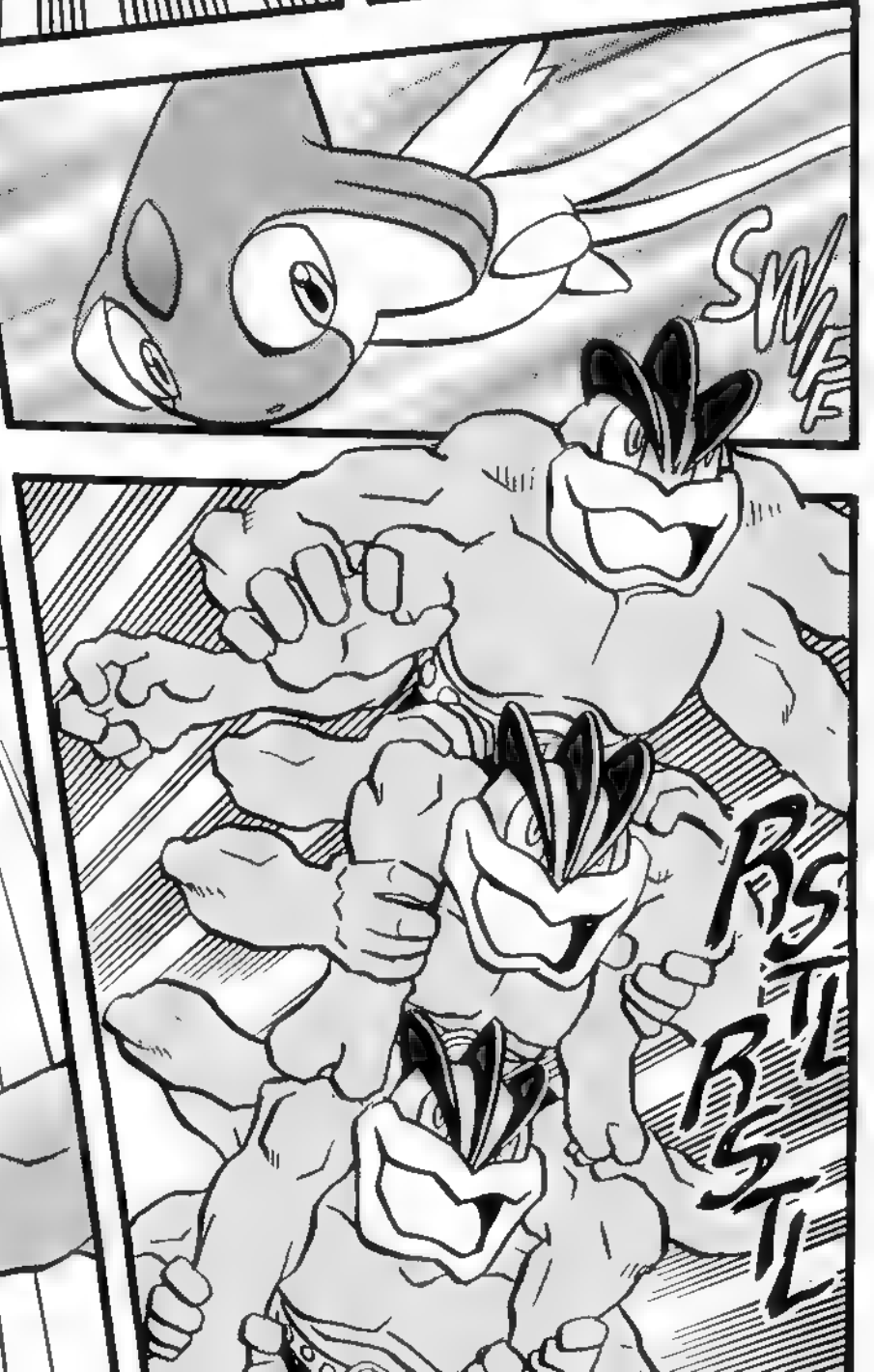
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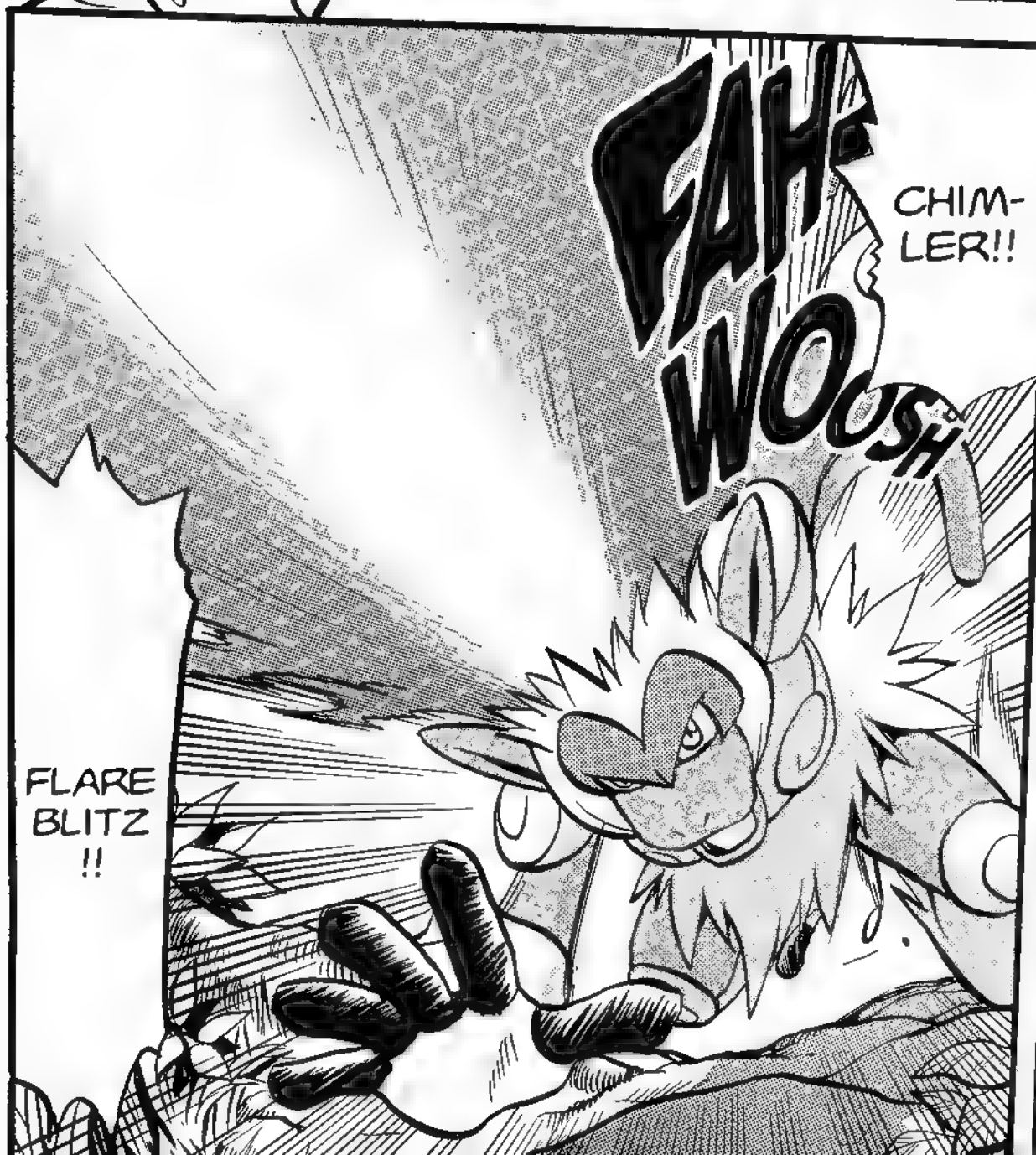
CHAT-  
LER!!

CHIM-  
LER!!

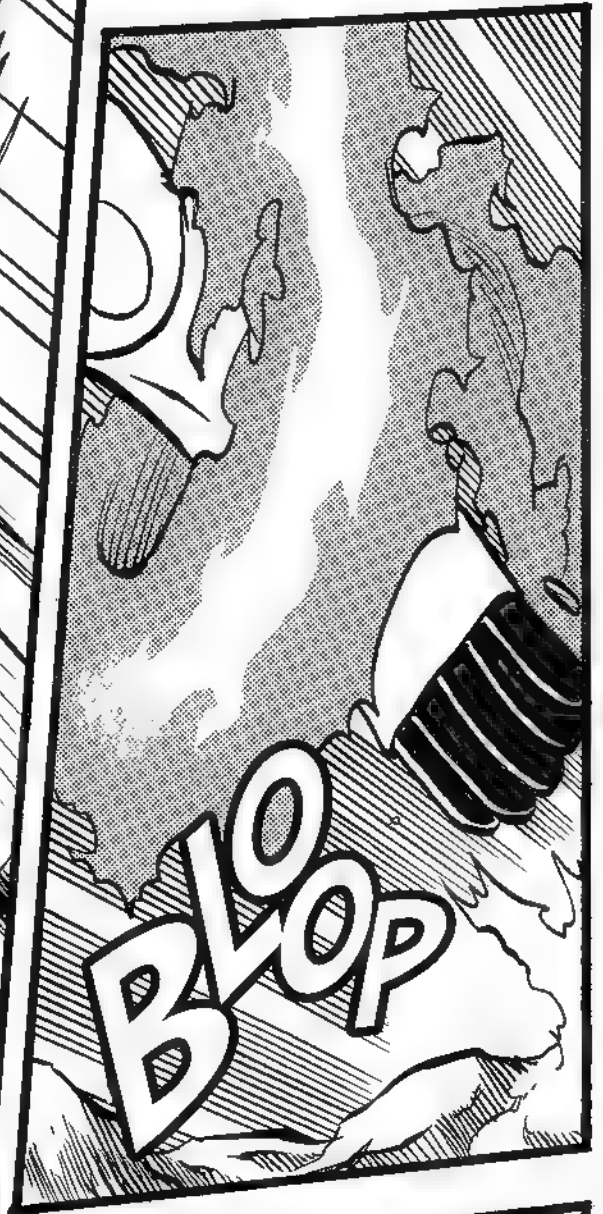
RAY-  
LER!!













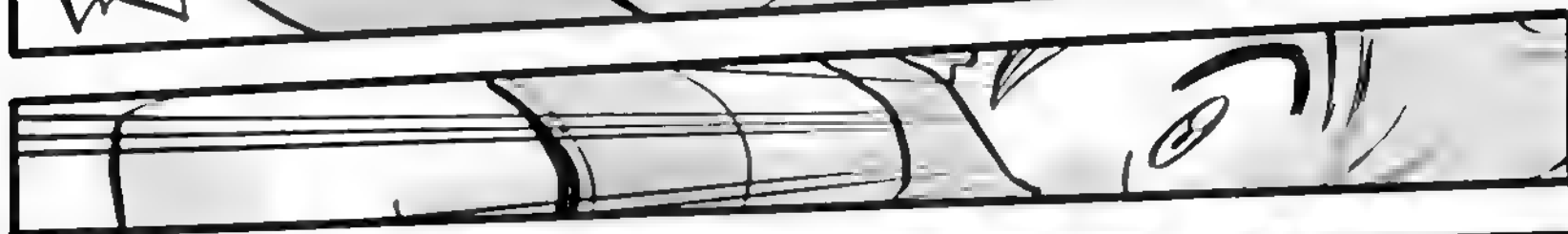
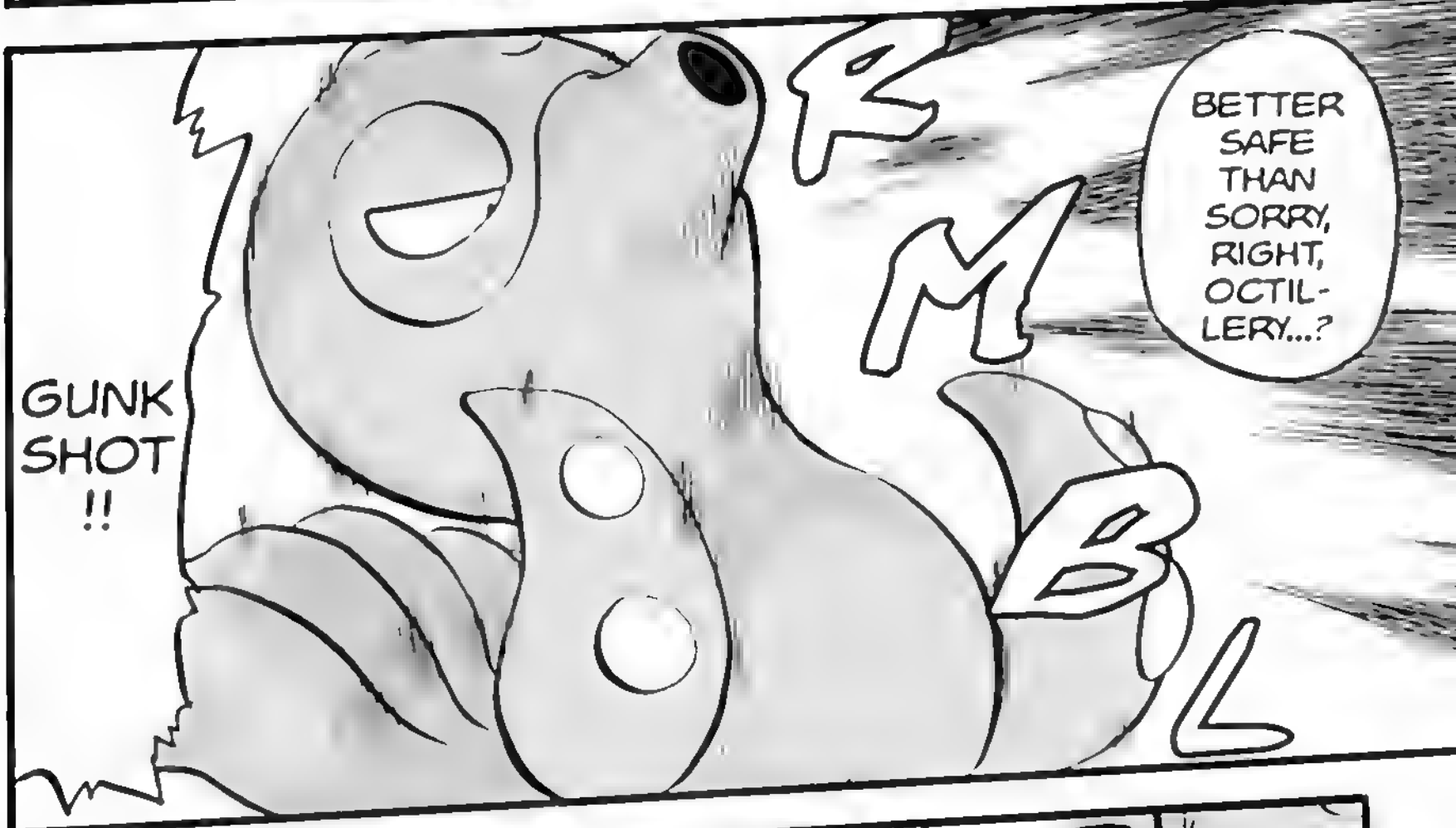
FLARE  
BLITZ  
INFLICTS  
DAMAGE  
UPON THE  
USER AS  
WELL AS  
THE TAR-  
GET, SO  
I DON'T  
REALLY  
NEED TO  
DO  
ANYTHING,  
BUT...

IT'S  
START-  
ING TO  
TIRE.

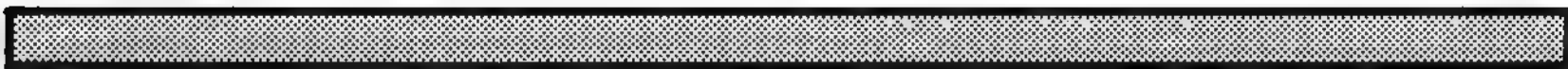
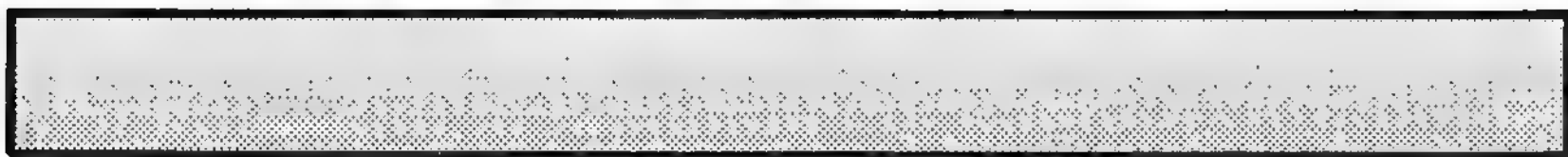
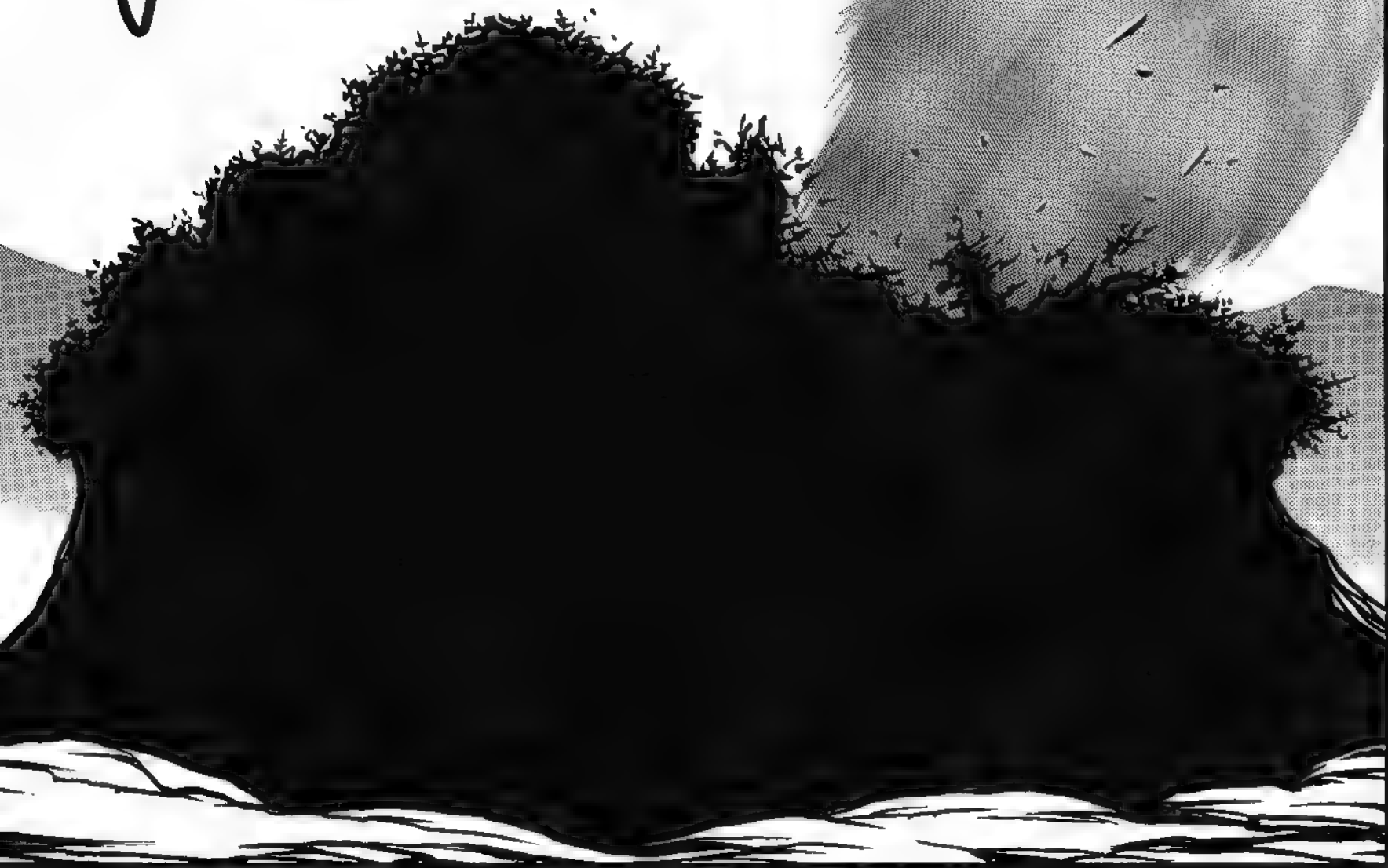


BETTER  
SAFE  
THAN  
SORRY,  
RIGHT,  
OCTIL-  
LERY...?

GUNK  
SHOT  
!!



# KER-AASH!!



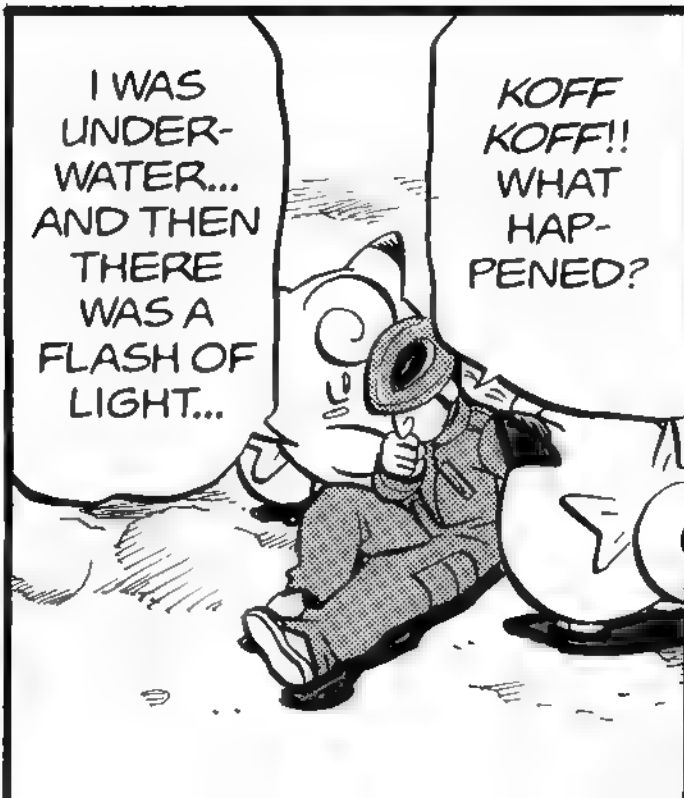
HUH?  
?

OH!  
WHAT  
ABOUT  
PEARL  
?



ARE  
YOU  
TWO  
OKAY?

THANKS FOR  
THE HELP,  
CLIFF AND  
CLIFFETTE.



I WAS  
UNDER-  
WATER...  
AND THEN  
THERE  
WAS A  
FLASH OF  
LIGHT...

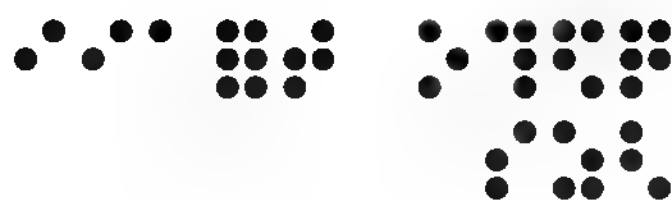
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KOFF!!  
WHAT  
HAP-  
PENED?

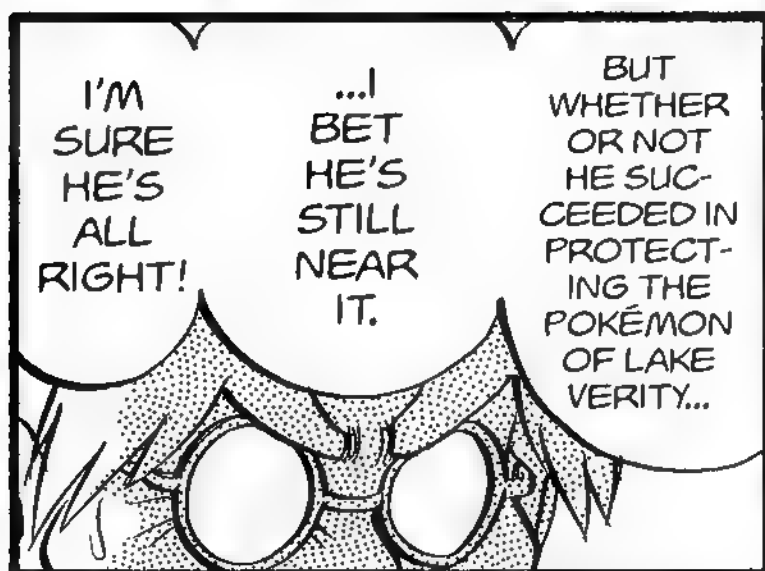
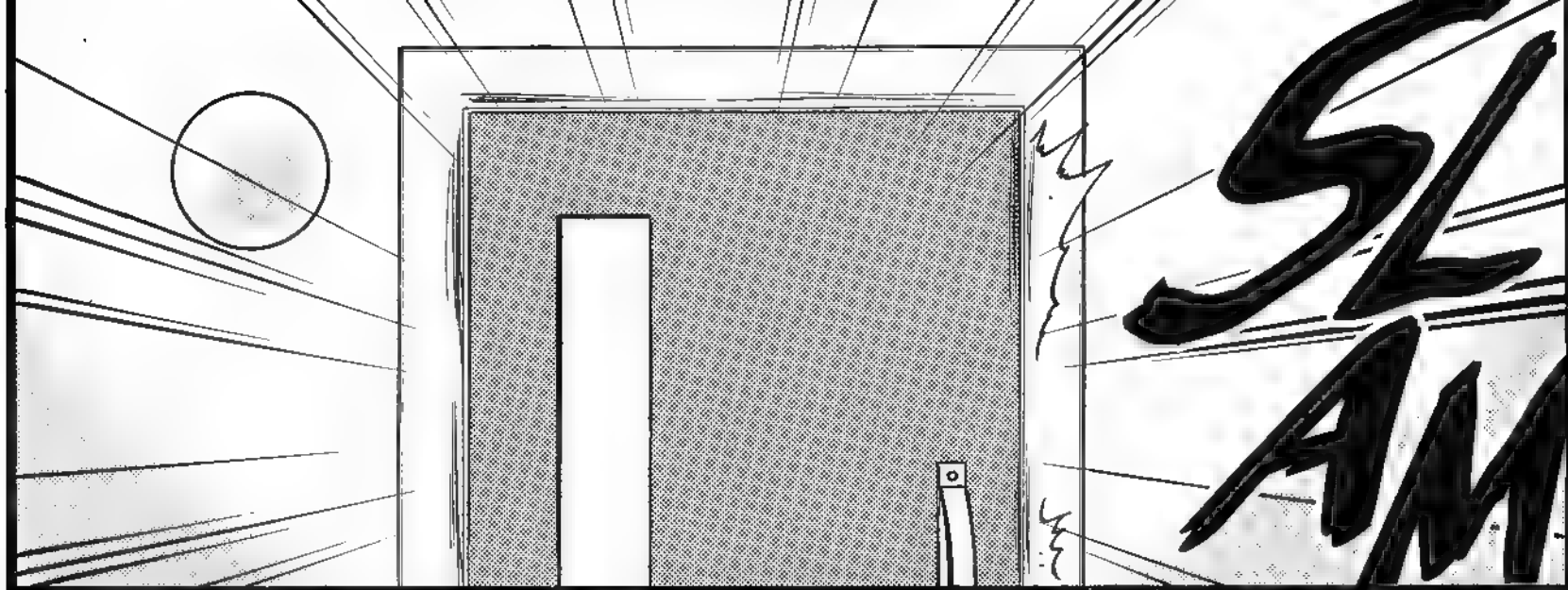


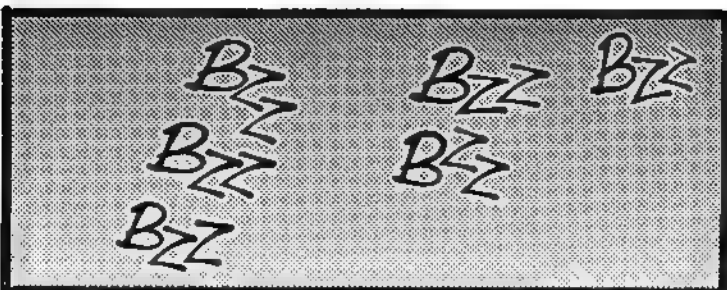
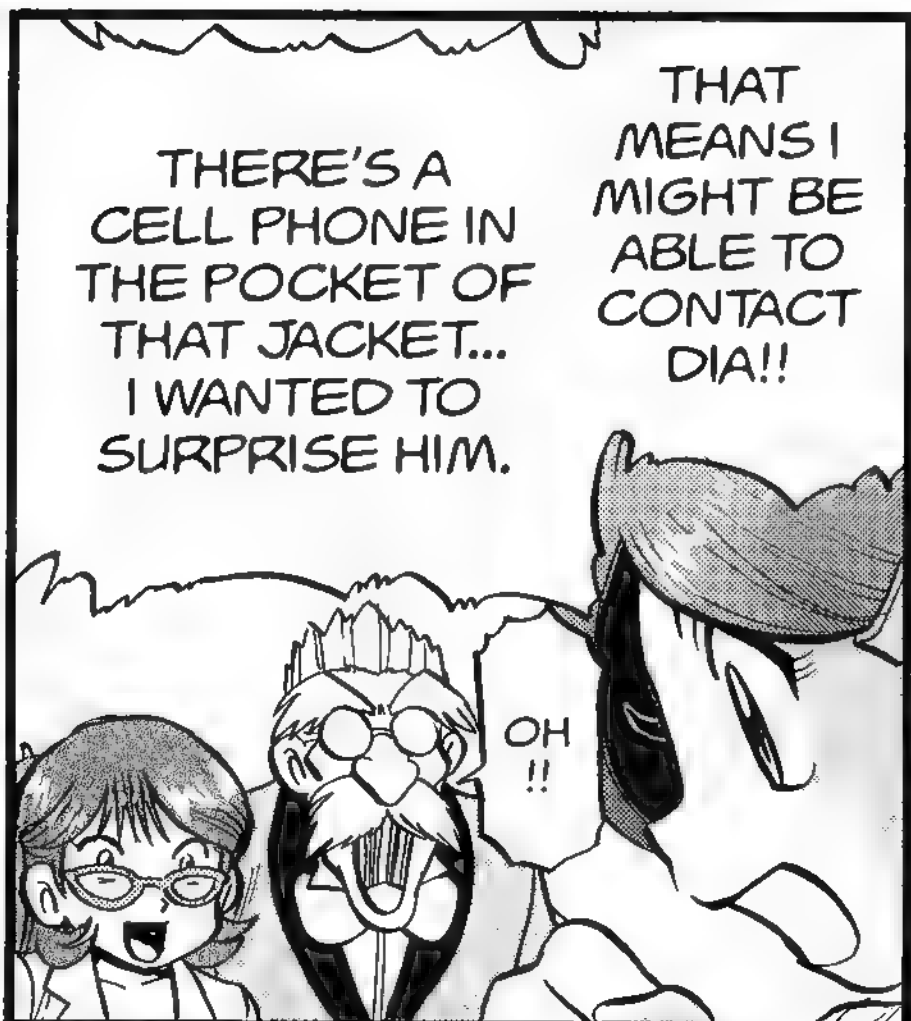
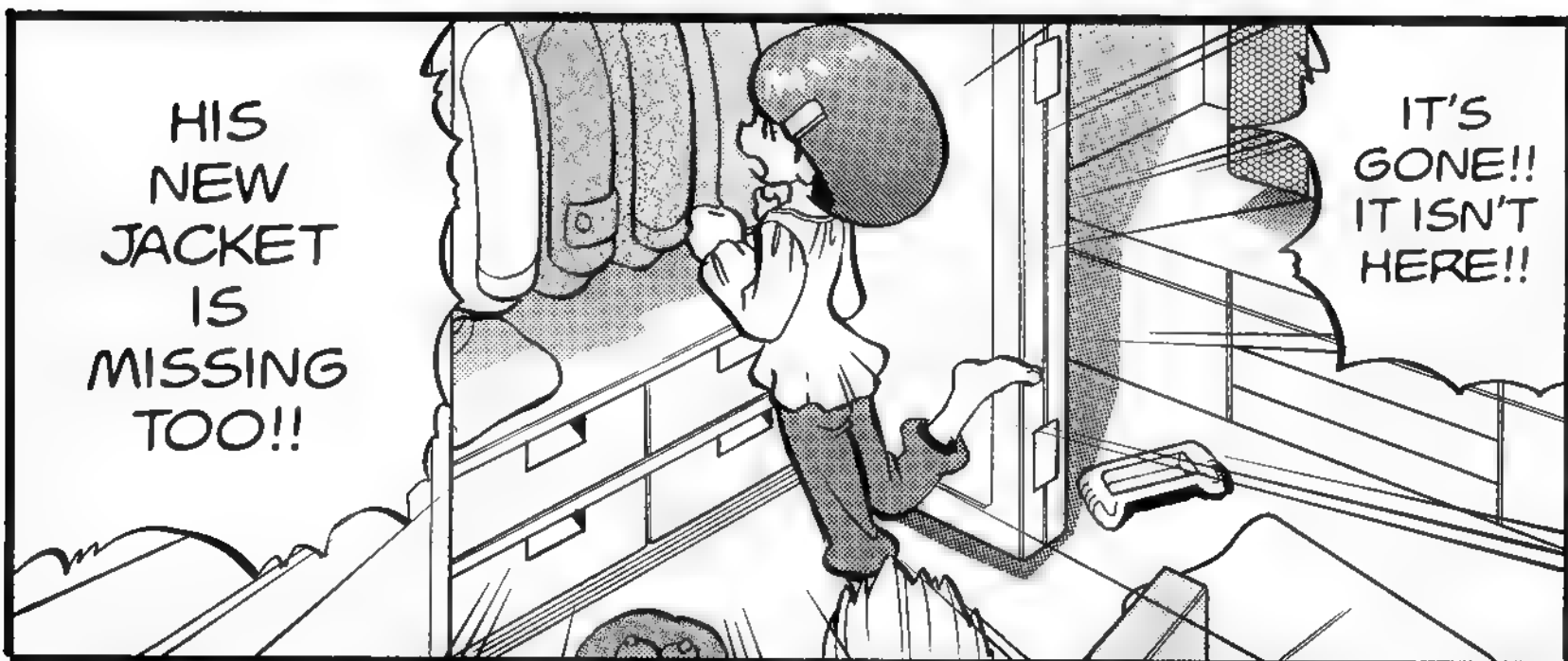


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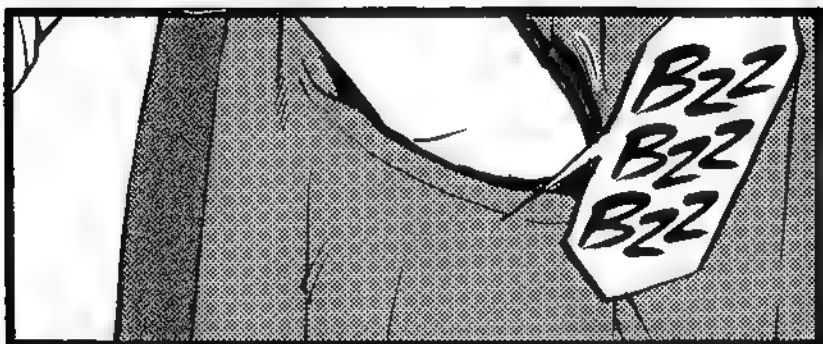
# Bogging Down Quagsire













AND THE  
POKÉMON  
I WANTED  
TO  
PROTECT...

...IS  
WITH  
ME.



I'LL  
COOK  
GRILLED  
BERRIES  
FOR YOU!

ANYWAY,  
COME  
HOME!



I DON'T  
KNOW HOW  
YOU GOT  
INVOLVED  
IN ALL THIS.  
I'M SURE  
IT'S A LONG  
STORY...

REALLY?!  
I'M SO  
GLAD  
TO HEAR  
THAT...



UMM...  
DIA?

WHERE  
ARE YOU  
AT THE  
MOMENT  
?!



ROARR  
ROARR  
ROARR



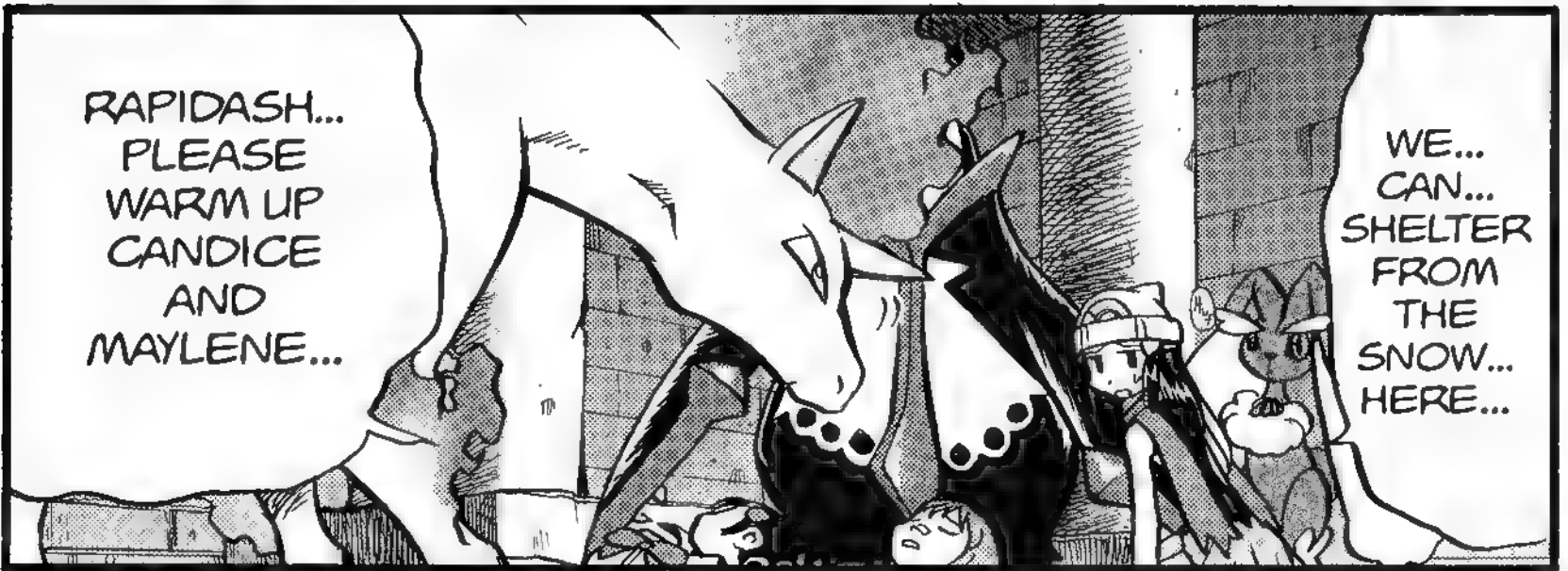
ACTUALLY, I  
PROBABLY  
WON'T BE  
ABLE TO  
COME  
HOME FOR  
A WHILE.

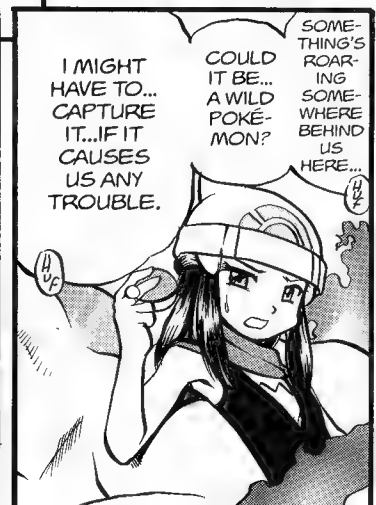
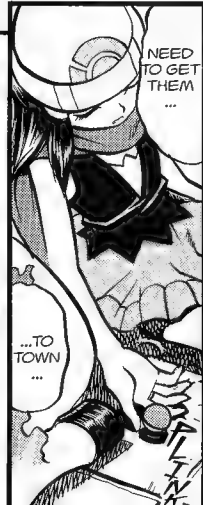
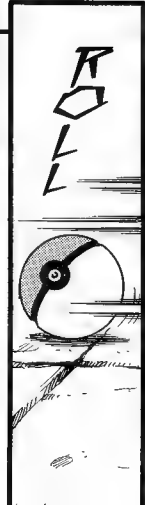
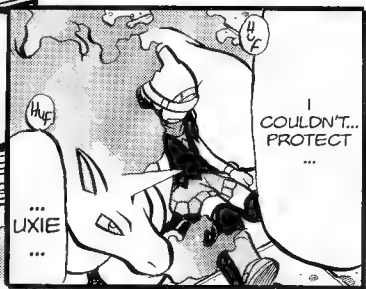
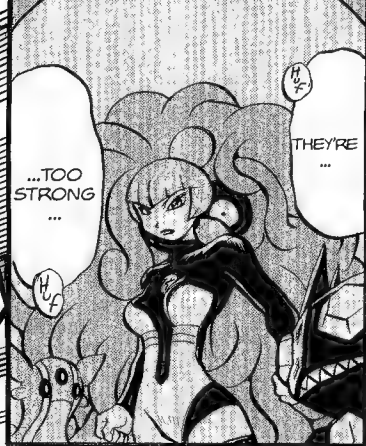
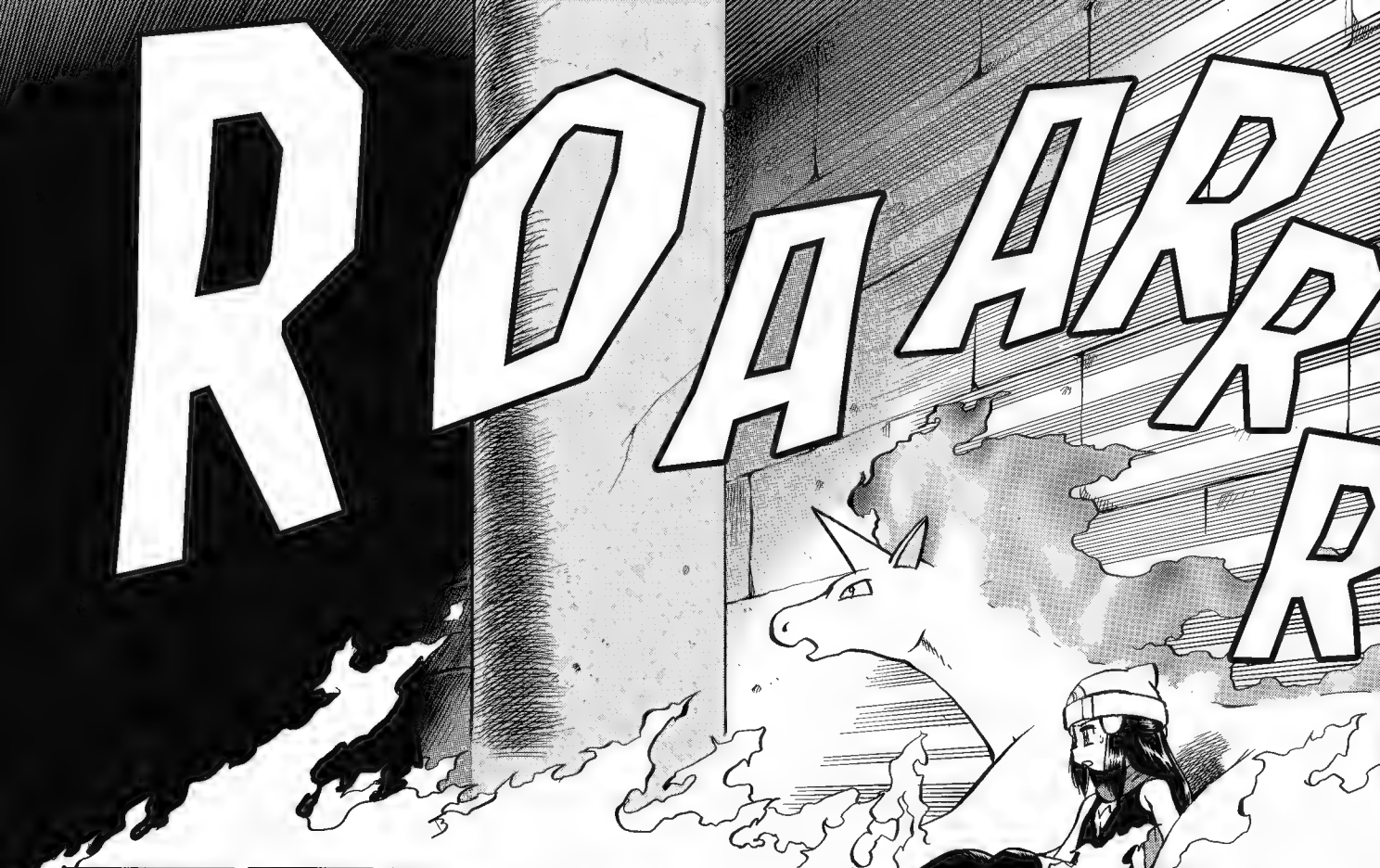
WELL,  
I CAN'T  
COME  
HOME  
JUST  
YET...

















PEARL !!

PEARL !!

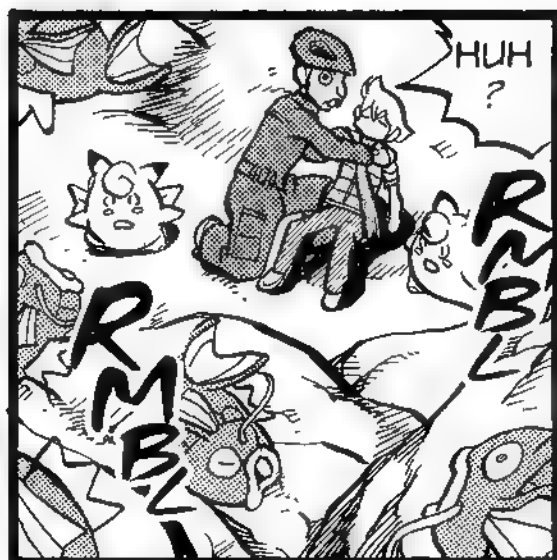


...IS IN THE BELLY OF THAT BEAST !!

...THE POKÉMON OF LAKE VALOR...

THE AIRSHIP IS FLYING TOWARD VEIL-STONE CITY!!

THAT MEANS ...



HUH ?

RMBL

RMBL

RMBL



...SHOULD I DO? WHAT SHOULD I DO? WHAT SHOULD I DO?!

W-WHAT ...



YOU'RE WRONG ON ALL COUNTS!!

NO-O-O!  
NO!! I NEED TO CARE FOR PEARL FIRST...!!

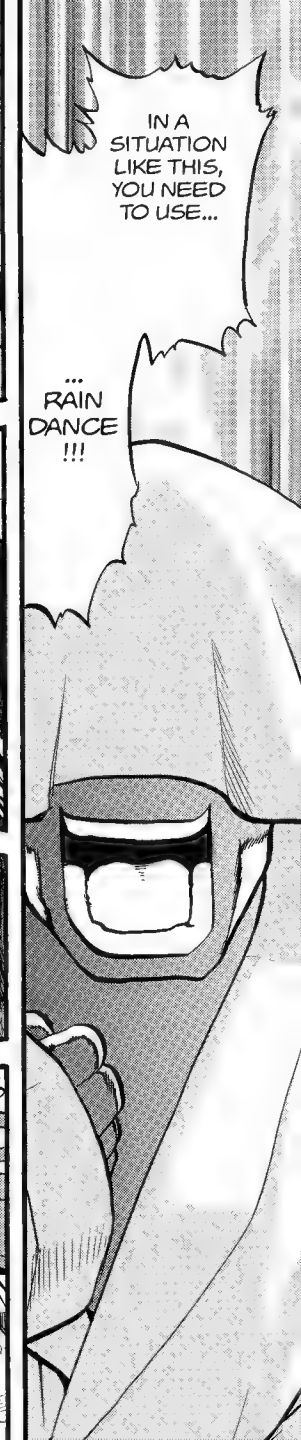
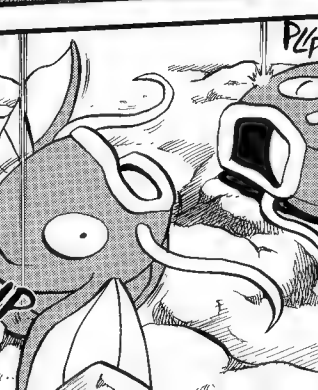
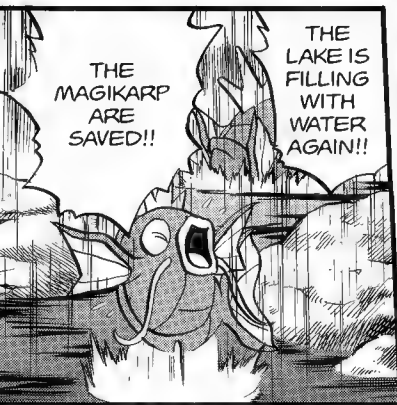
NO!!  
I BETTER RUSH OVER TO VEILSTONE CITY AND GET AHEAD OF THEM...!!

FIRST, I'LL GO AFTER THAT AIRSHIP ...

TMP

TMP

TMP







C'MON,  
LET'S GO! WE'LL  
DROWN IF WE  
JUST STAND  
AROUND WITH  
OUR MOUTHS  
OPEN UNTIL  
THERE'S ENOUGH  
WATER FOR THE  
MAGIKARP TO  
SWIM IN!



IF  
ONLY  
BYRON  
HAD  
TOLD ME  
ABOUT IT  
EARLIER!

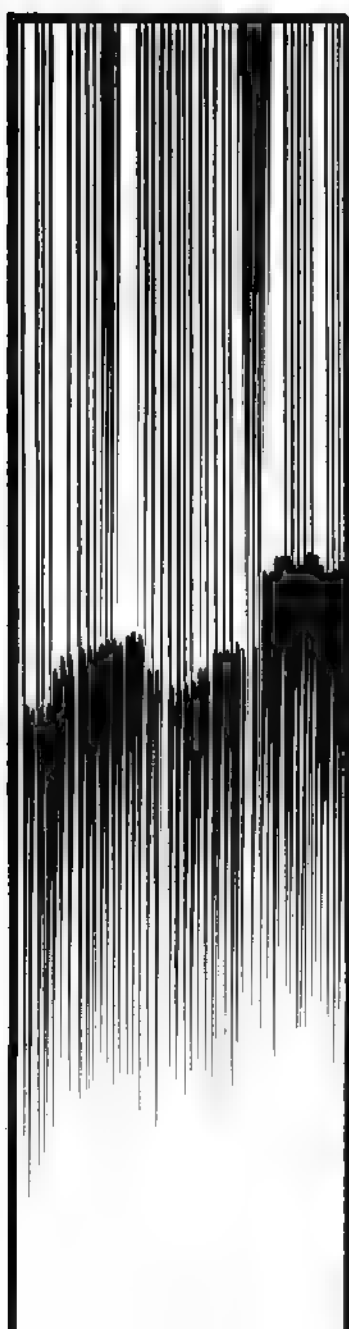


I  
LEARNED  
ABOUT  
THIS EVIL  
SCHEME  
AND CAME  
TO HELP  
OUT- BUT IT  
LOOKS LIKE  
I WAS TOO  
LATE!

AH  
HA  
HA!!  
LET'S  
NOT  
GET  
CAR-  
RIED  
AWAY  
NOW...







# ADVENTURE MAP

## DIAMOND

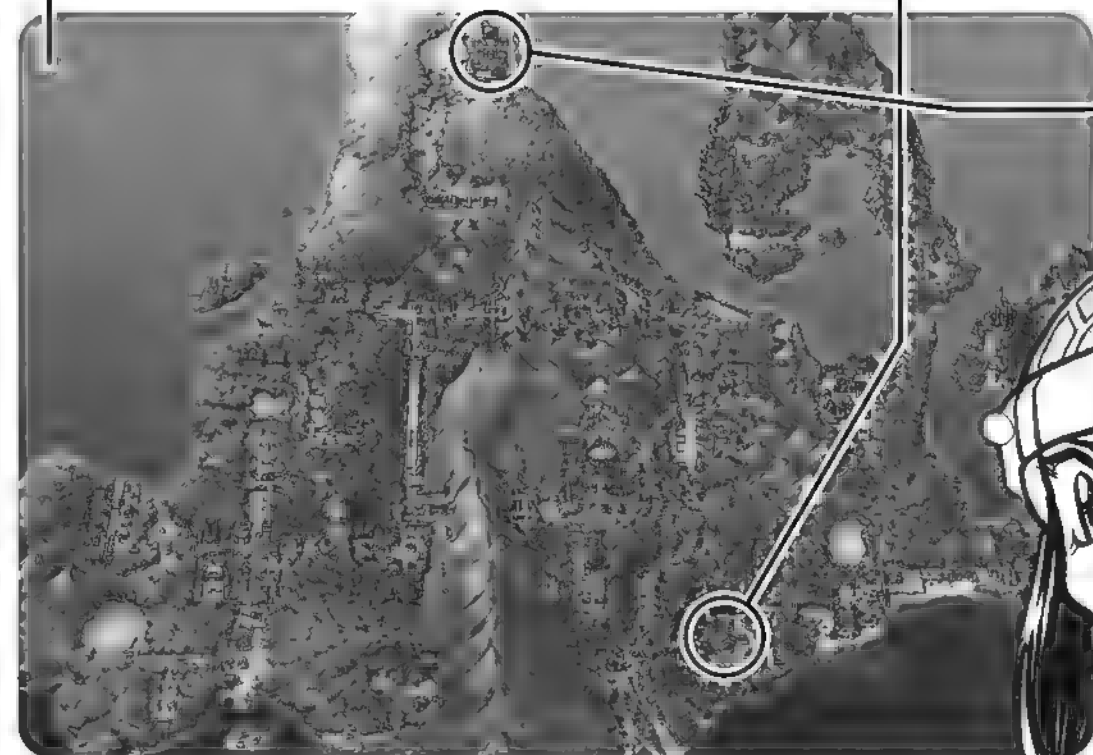


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▶ <b>LAX</b> Munchlax ♂			
▶ <b>DON</b> Sheldon ♂			

## PEARL



▶ <b>CHIMLER</b> Infernape ♂			
▶ <b>CHATLER</b> Chatot ♂			
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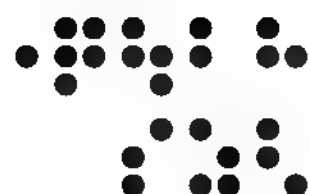
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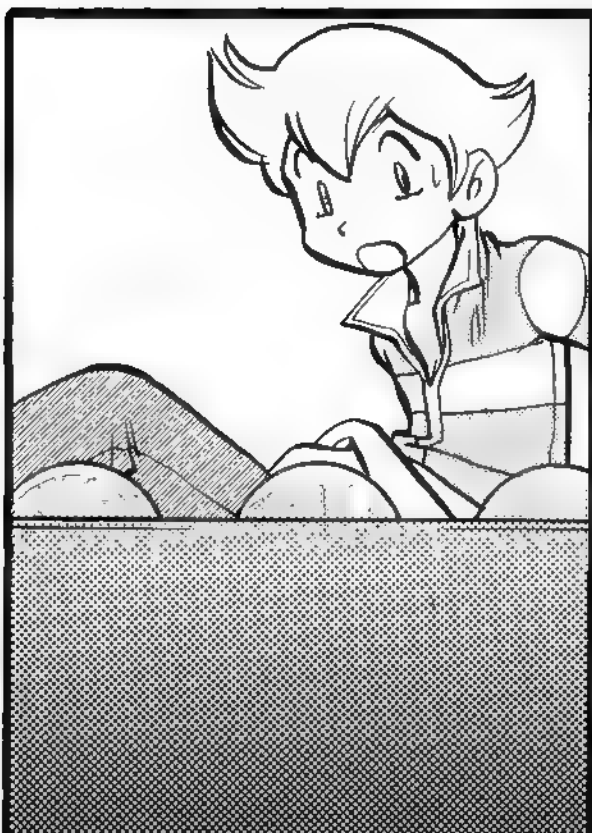
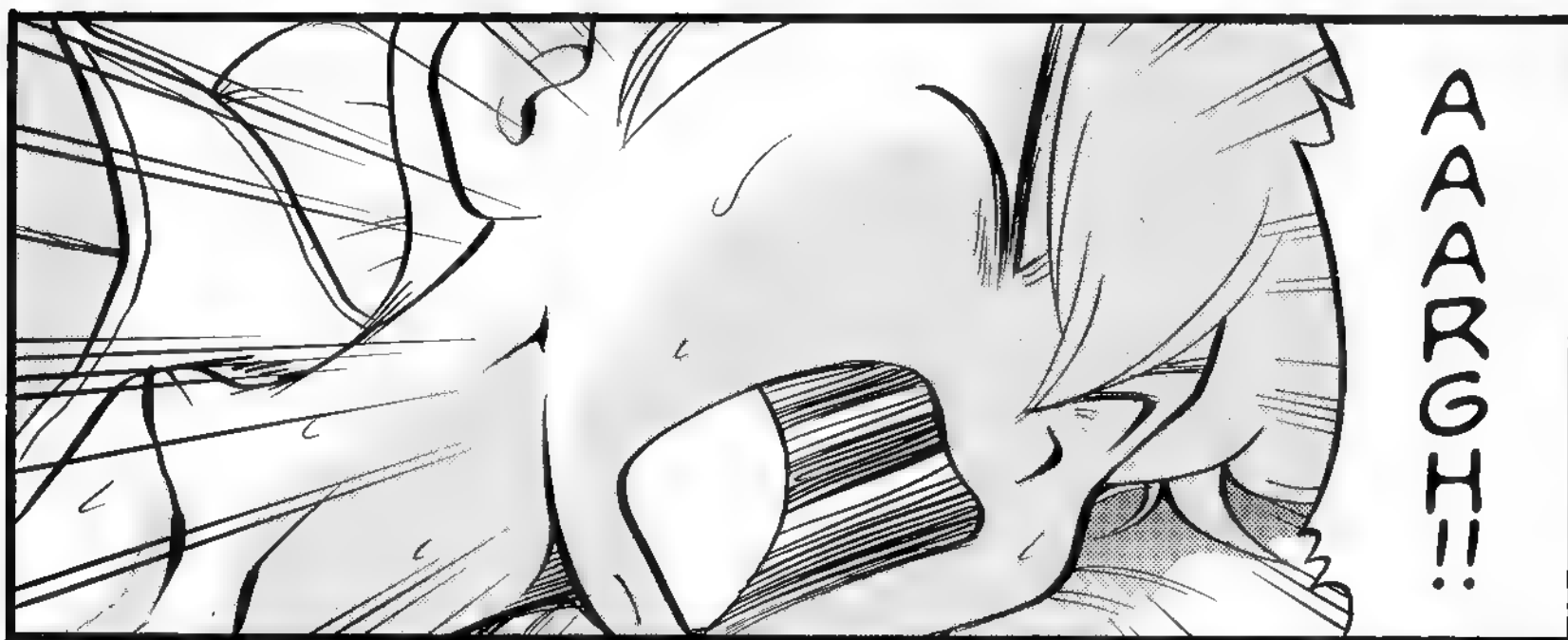
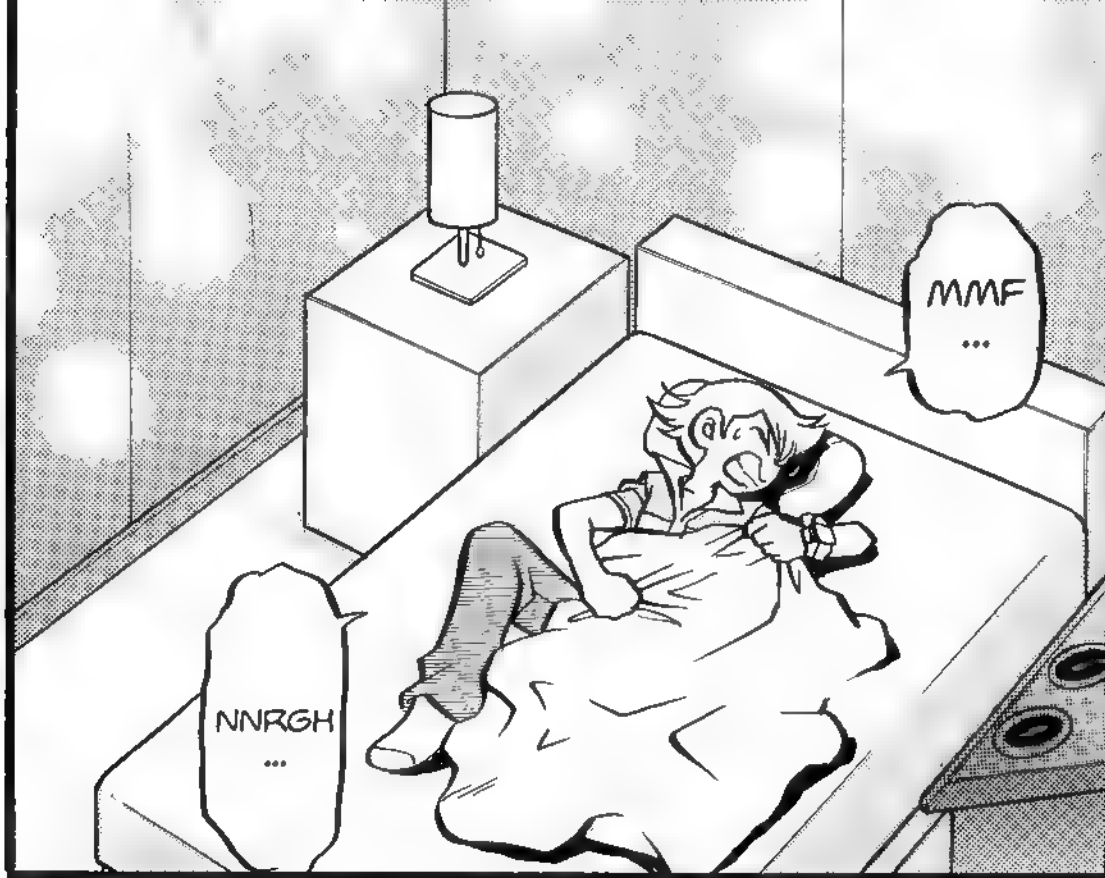


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# Besting Buizel I









CHIM-  
LER!!

RAY-  
LER!!

CHAT-  
LER!!



AZELF...



...BUT  
THEY  
TOOK  
AZELF,  
THE  
"WILL-  
POWER"  
POKÉ-  
MON...

...AT  
LAKE  
VALOR...

THAT'S  
RIGHT...  
I  
FOUGHT  
TEAM  
GALAC-  
TIC  
...



K  
R  
K

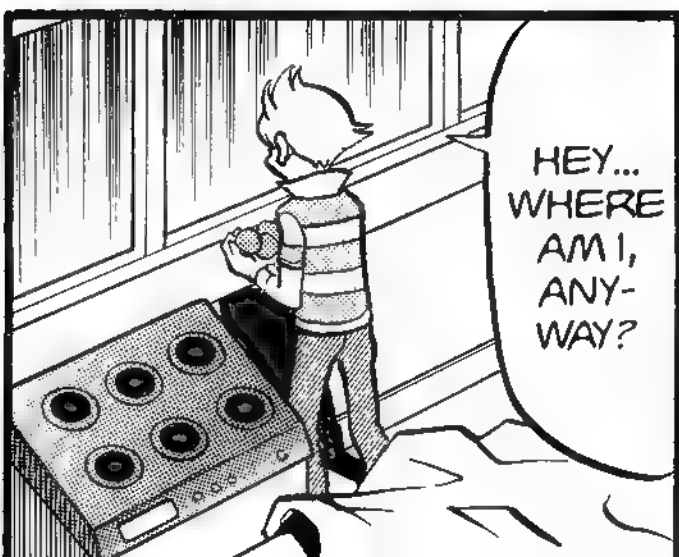
OW  
!!



...GOT  
ALL OF  
YOU  
INJURED.  
I'M SO  
SORRY...

MY  
COM-  
MANDS  
...

I'M  
SORRY  
FOR  
ALL OF  
YOU  
TOO...

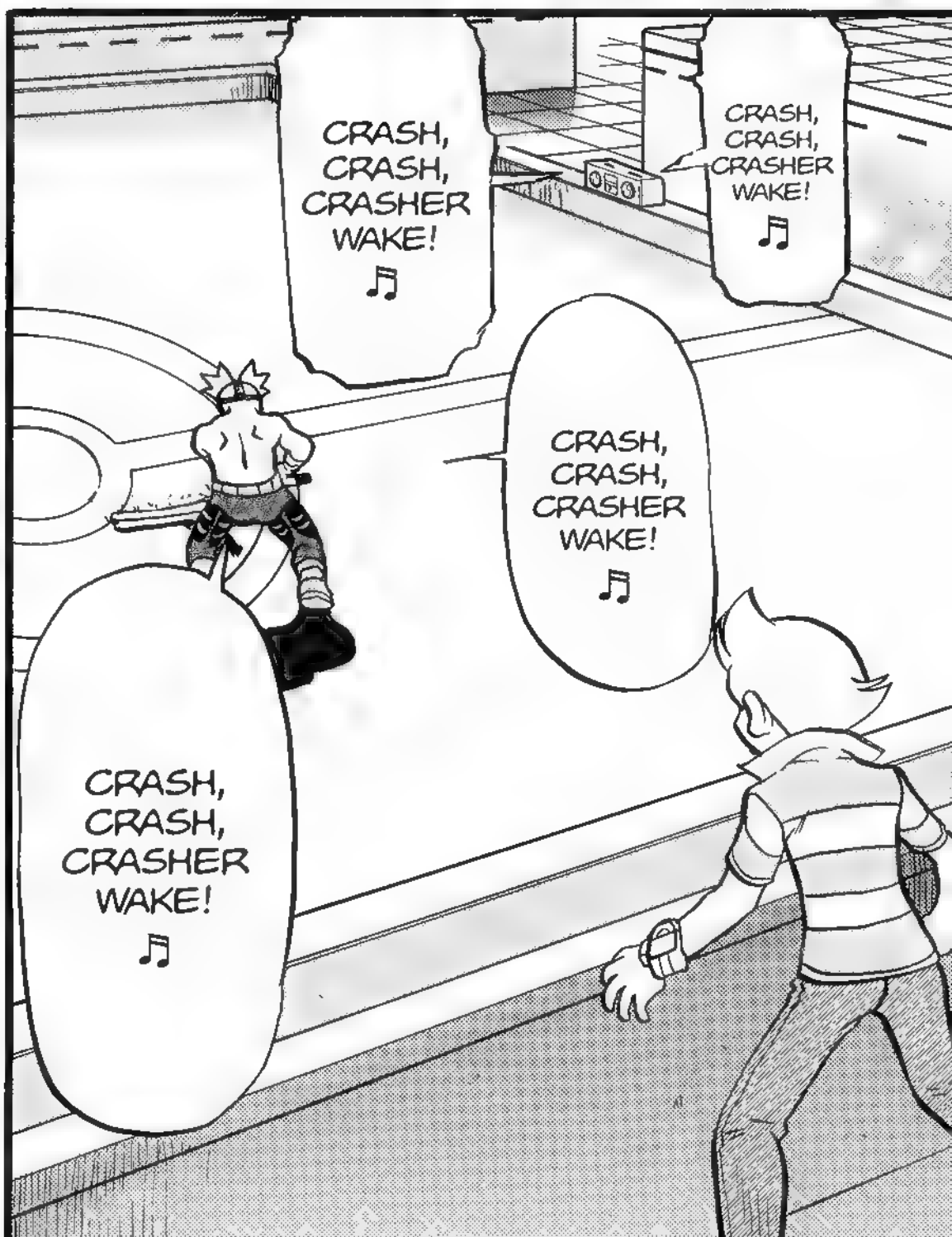
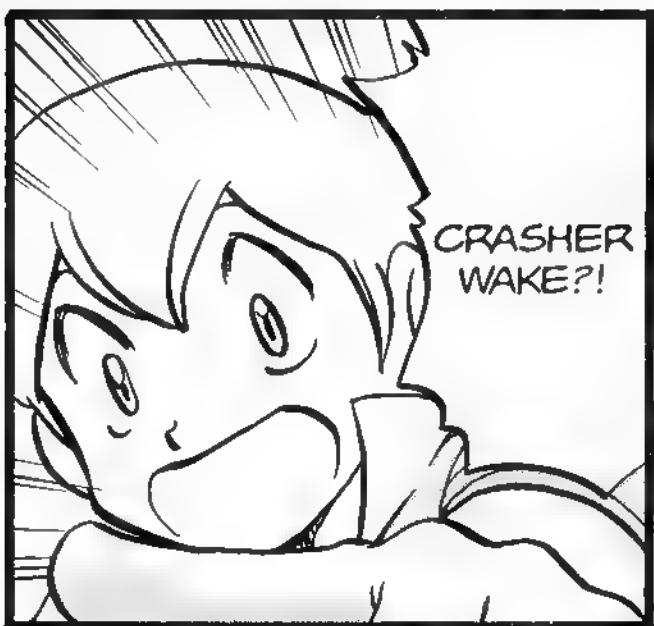
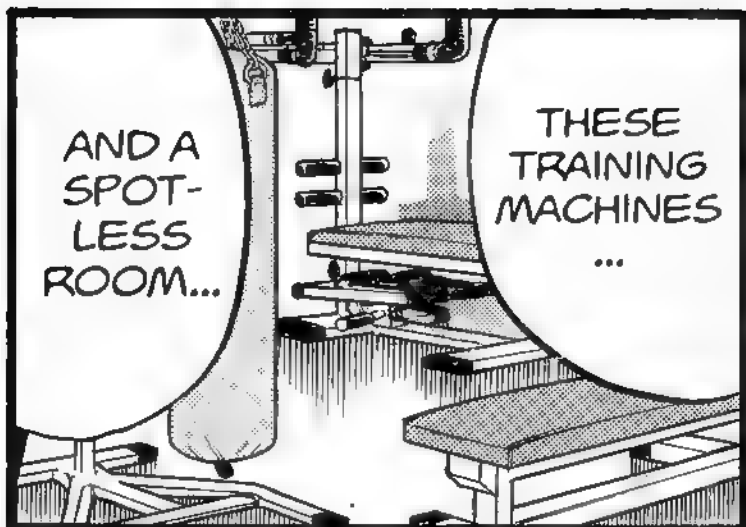


HEY...  
WHERE  
AM I,  
ANY-  
WAY?

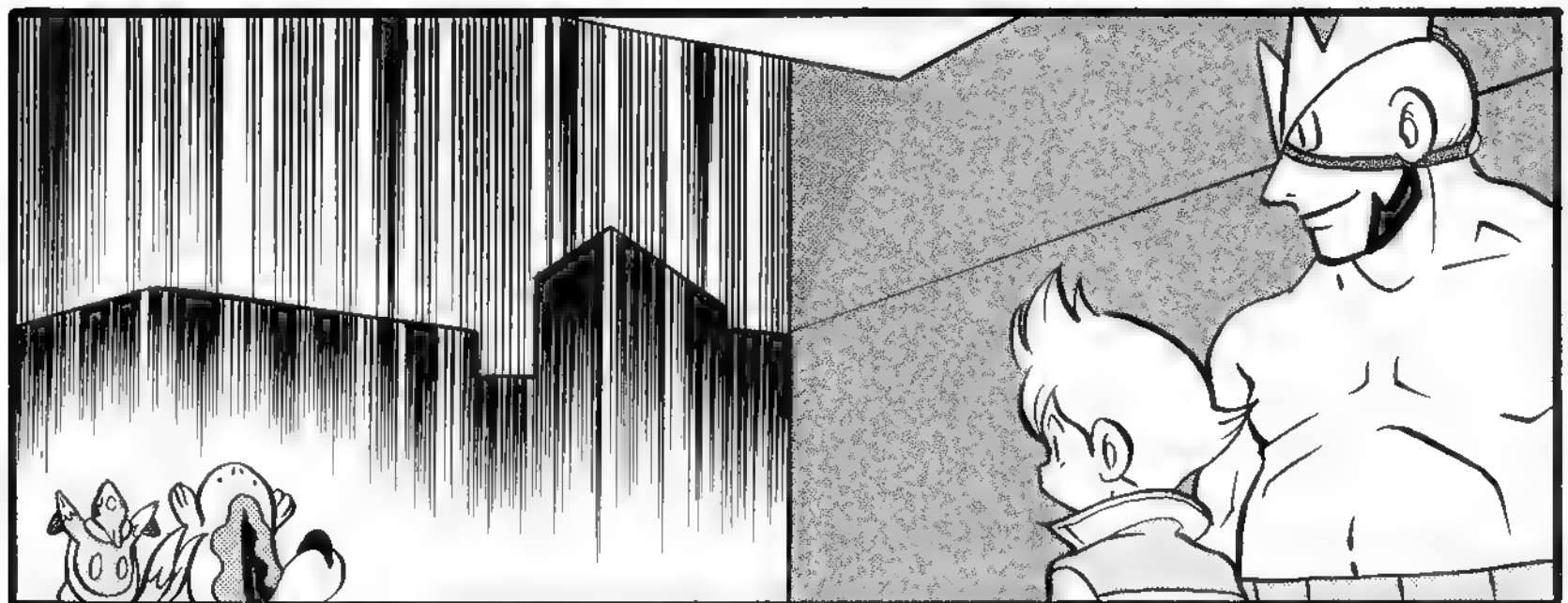
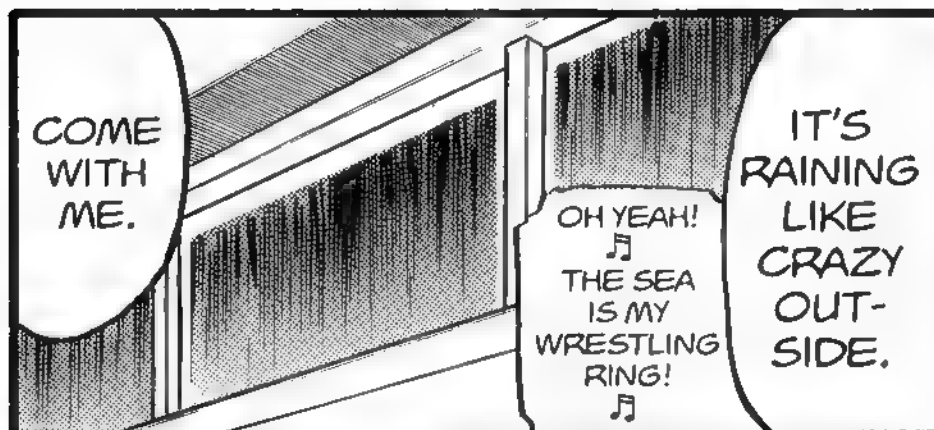


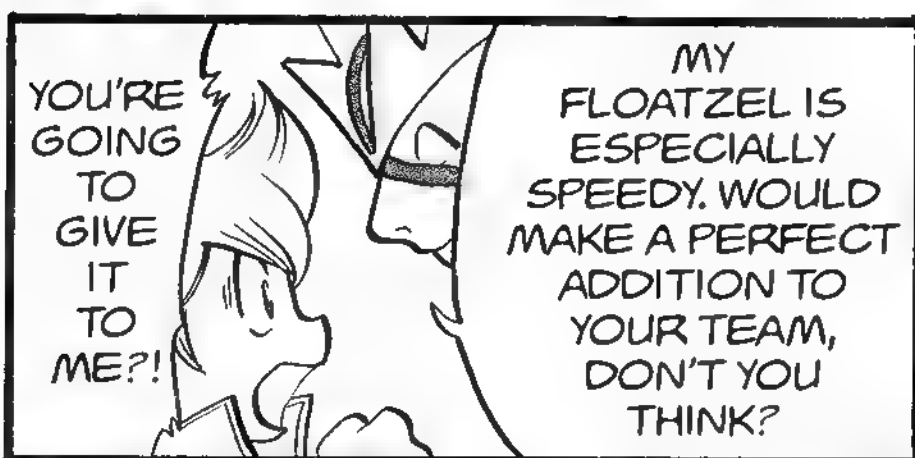
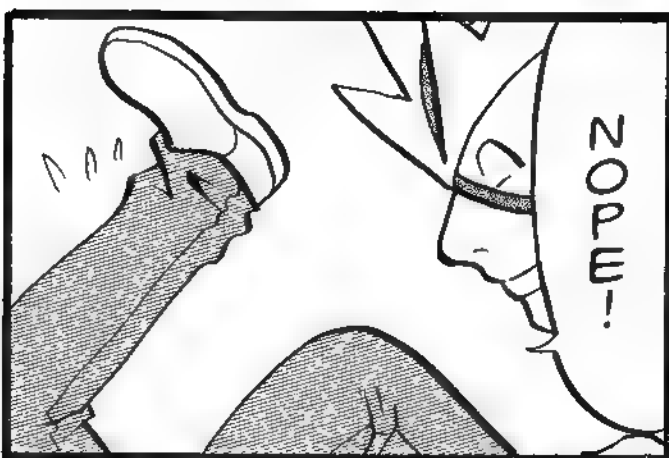
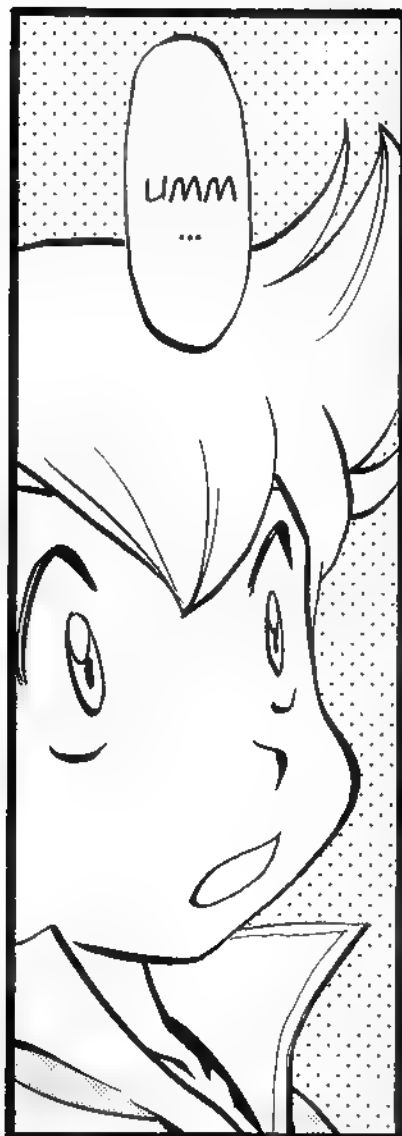
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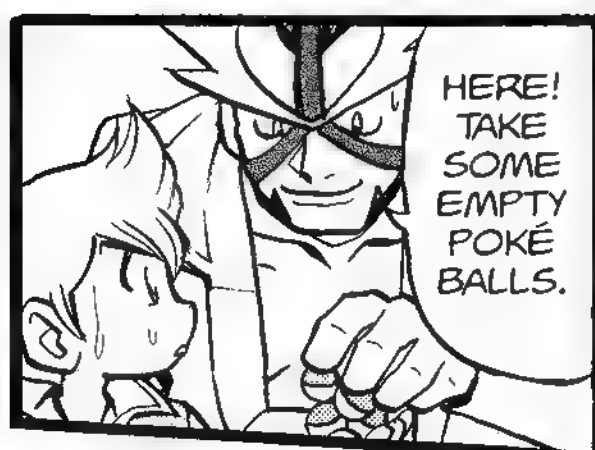
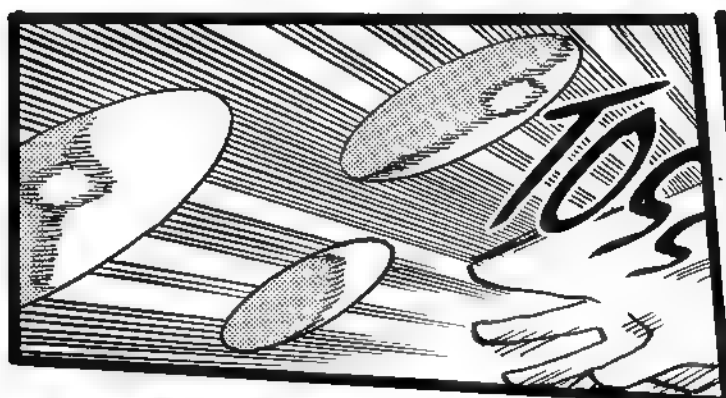










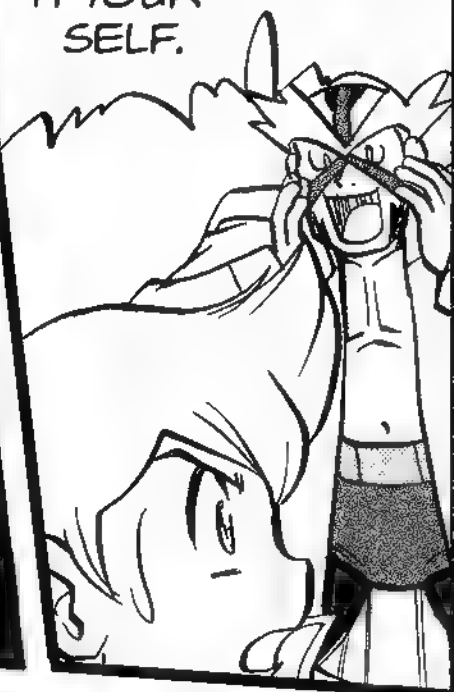




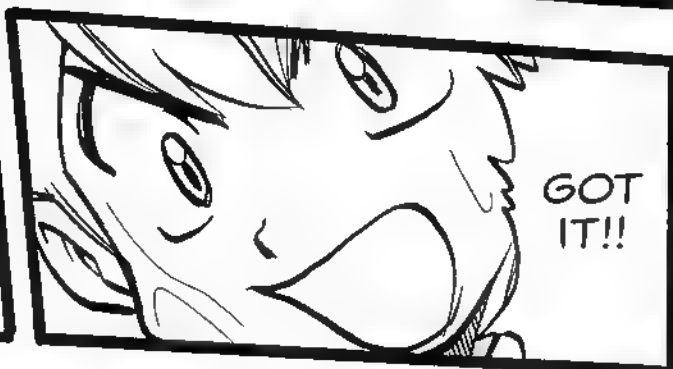


THINK  
ABOUT  
START-  
ING WITH  
A BUIZEL  
AND  
EVOLVING  
IT YOUR-  
SELF.

DON'T  
GO  
FOR  
THE  
BIG  
ONES  
RIGHT  
AWAY!!



NOW'S  
MY  
CHANCE  
TO  
CAPTURE  
IT!!



GOT  
IT!!



THUNK

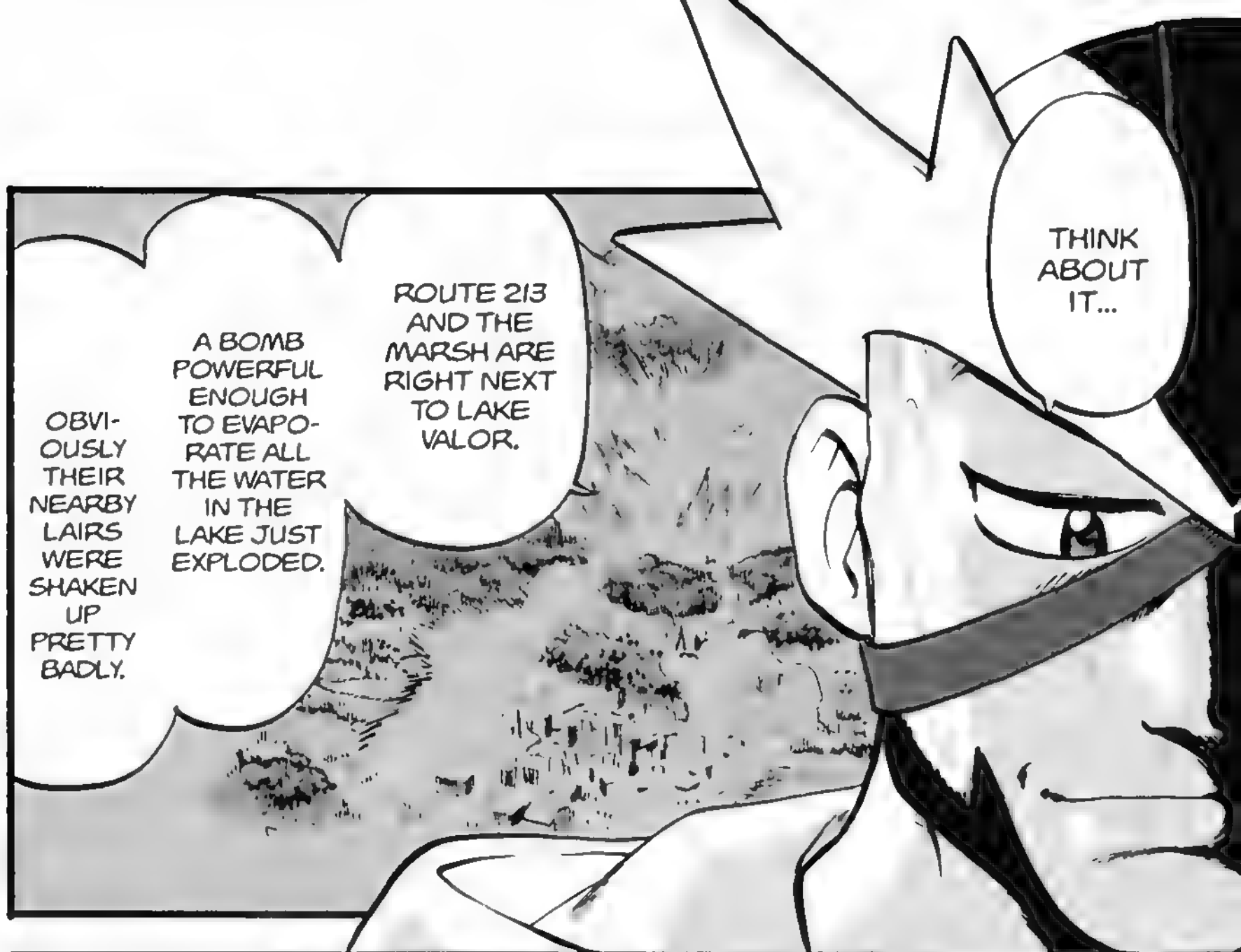


THUNK



GLARE



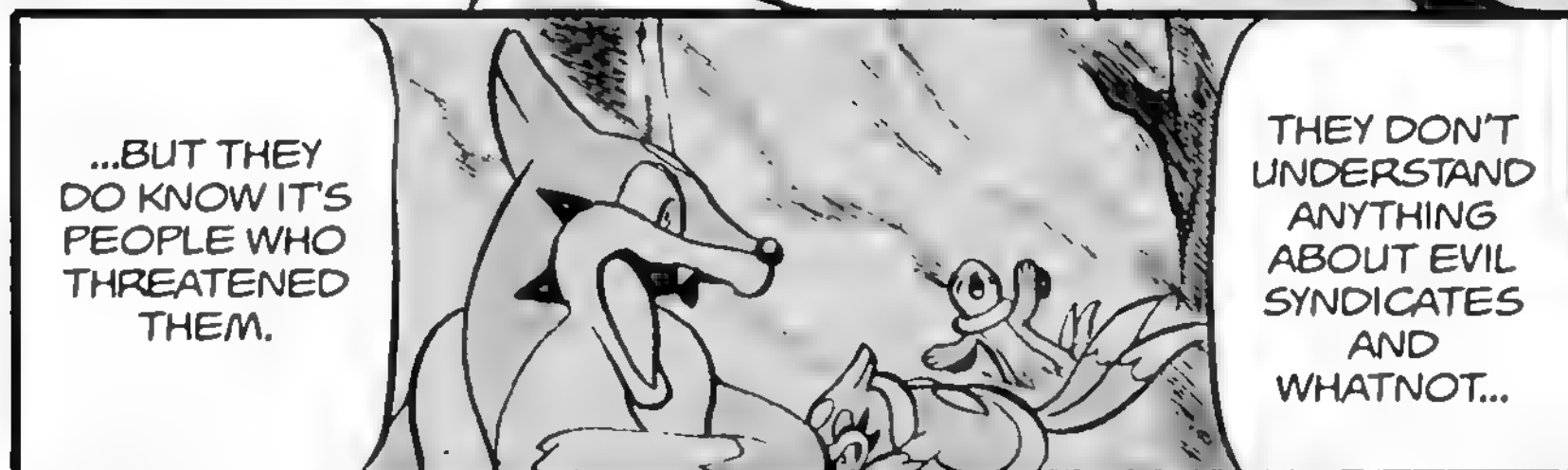


THINK ABOUT IT...

ROUTE 213 AND THE MARSH ARE RIGHT NEXT TO LAKE VALOR.

A BOMB POWERFUL ENOUGH TO EVAPO-RATE ALL THE WATER IN THE LAKE JUST EXPLODED.

OBVI-  
OUSLY  
THEIR  
NEARBY  
LAIRS  
WERE  
SHAKEN  
UP  
PRETTY  
BADLY.



THEY DON'T UNDERSTAND ANYTHING ABOUT EVIL SYNDICATES AND WHATNOT...

...BUT THEY DO KNOW IT'S PEOPLE WHO THREATENED THEM.



ALL BECAUSE I COULDN'T STOP THE BOMB...

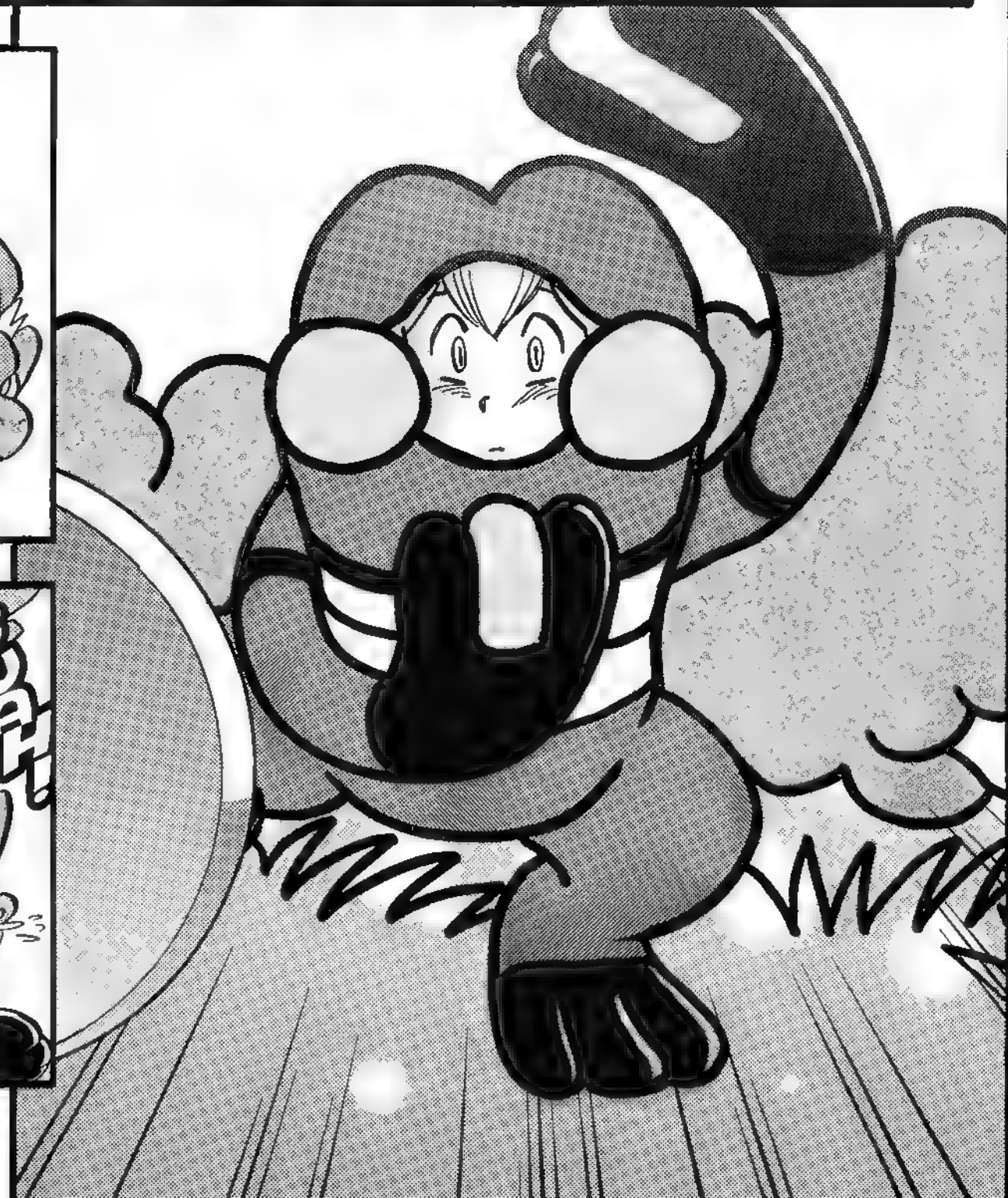
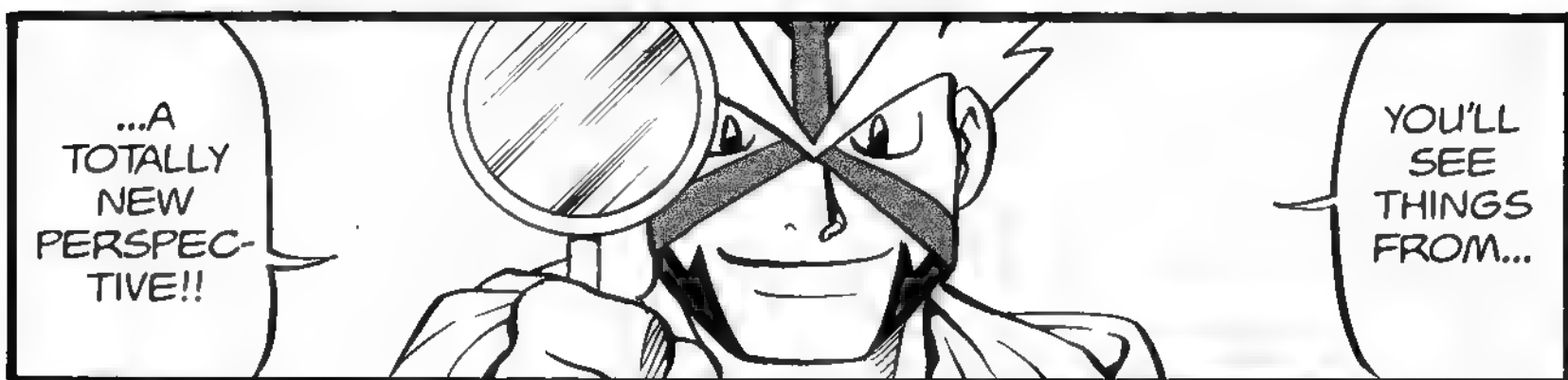
THAT'S WHY...

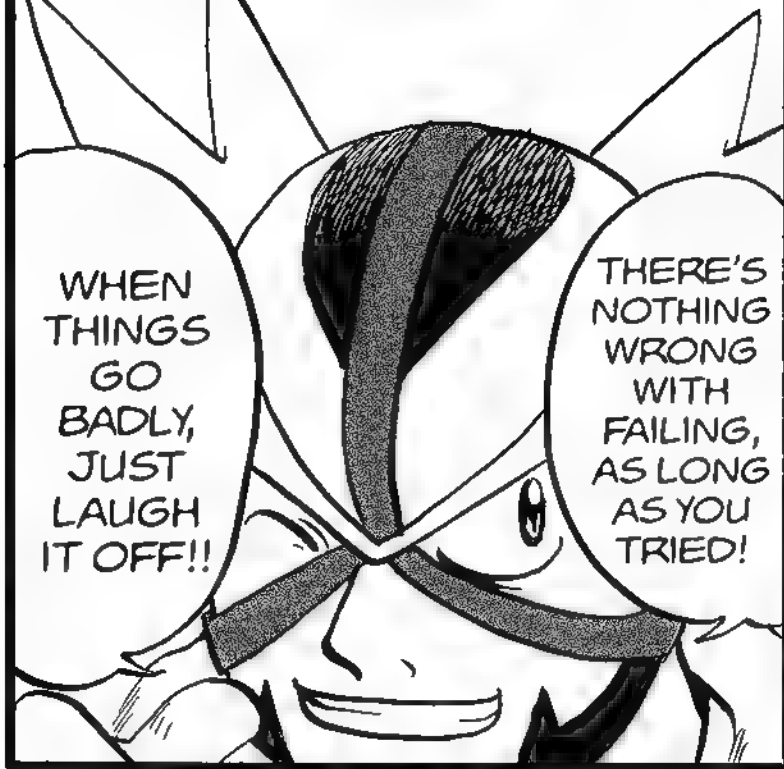


AND THAT'S WHO THEY'RE ANGRY WITH.









WHEN THINGS GO BADLY, JUST LAUGH IT OFF!!

THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH FAILING, AS LONG AS YOU TRIED!



HOW DO YOU FEEL NOW? BETTER AFTER LAUGHING, RIGHT?



HA HA HA HA HA !!



THAT'S EXACTLY WHY I WANTED TO BECOME A COMEDIAN IN THE FIRST PLACE...

I FORGOT ABOUT THAT BECAUSE I'VE BEEN AWAY FROM DIA FOR SO 'LONG...



YES.

YOU'RE RIGHT.



HOW'S THAT SOUND ?

...WHY DON'T I TRAIN YOU?

WELL, IF YOU'RE ONLY HERE FOR ONE SHORT NIGHT...



YES.

IN THE MORN-ING?

WHEN ARE YOU LEAV-ING?

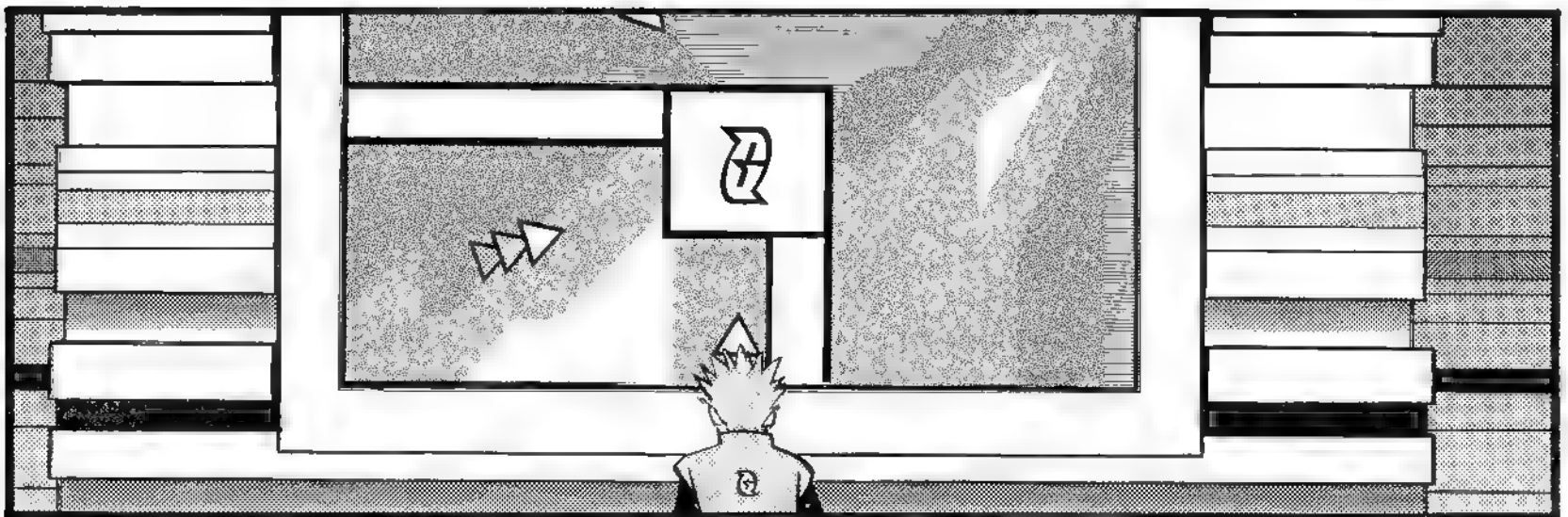
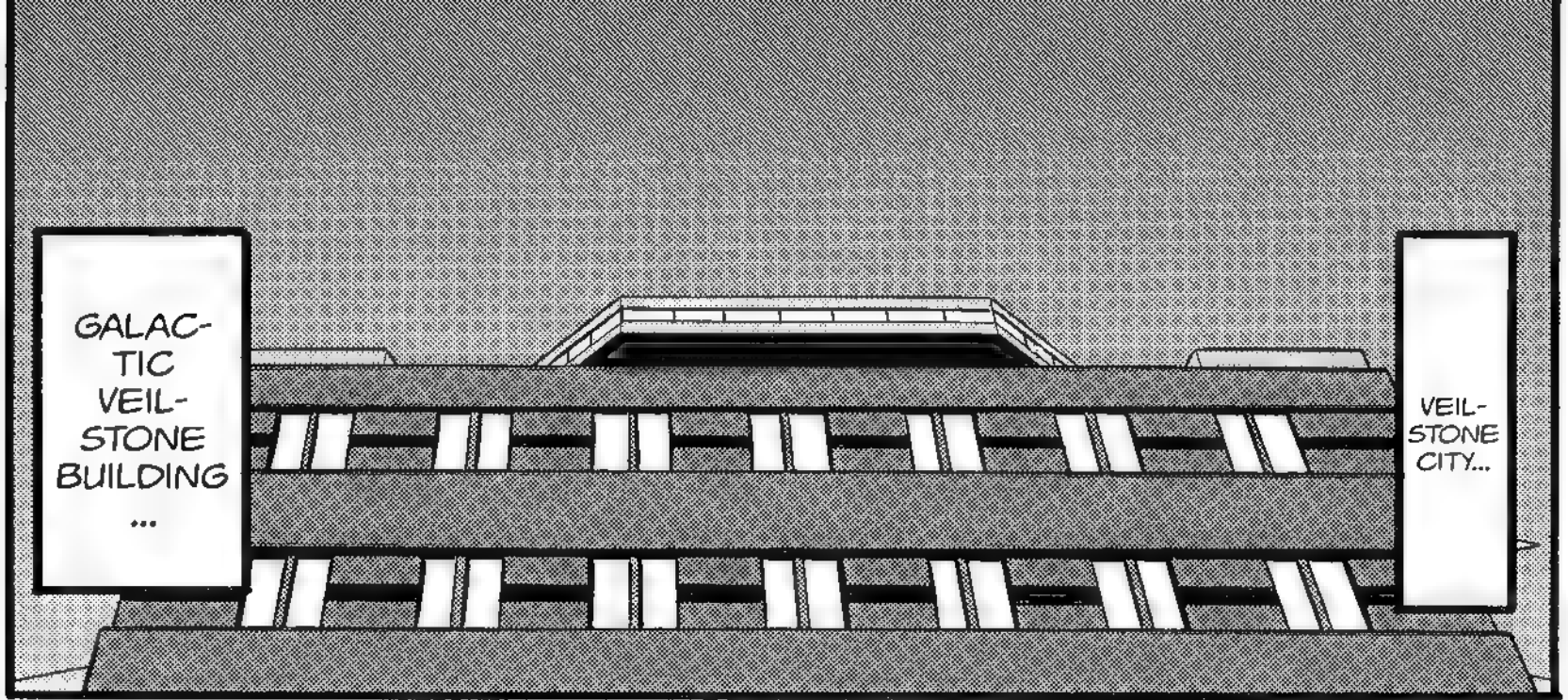
YOU'RE GOING AFTER THE GUYS WHO TOOK THE LAKE POKÉMON, AREN'T YOU?



THANK YOU VERY MUCH, CRASHER WAKE!!

YES, PLEASE !!





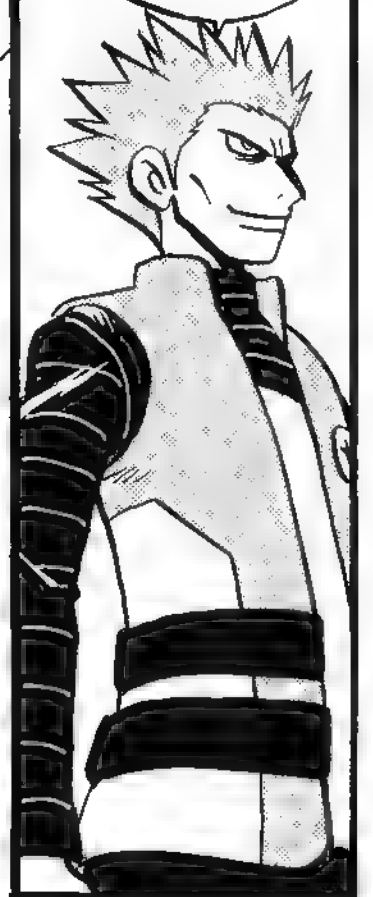
WE'LL BEGIN AS SOON AS THEY ARRIVE.

I WANT YOU TO BE PREPARED.

...  
SYMBOL-IZING KNOWLEDGE, EMOTION AND WILL-POWER  
...

AND THEY HAVE ALL THREE LEGEND-ARY POKÉMON  
...

THE THREE AIRSHIPS ARE HEADED FOR VEILSTONE CITY.

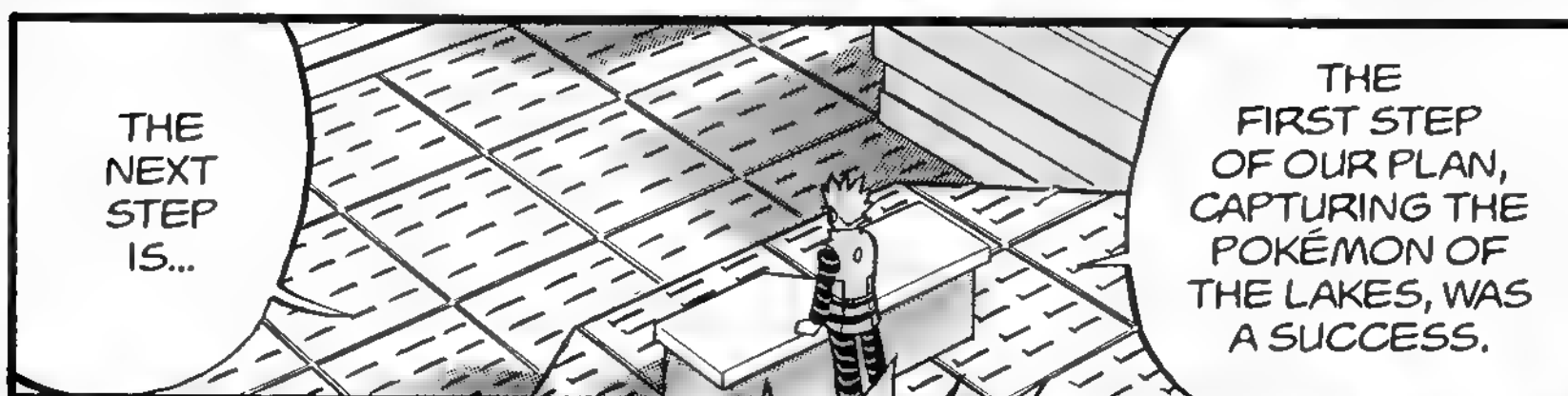






...  
BOSS.

VERY  
WELL...



THE  
NEXT  
STEP  
IS...

THE  
FIRST STEP  
OF OUR PLAN,  
CAPTURING THE  
POKÉMON OF  
THE LAKES, WAS  
A SUCCESS.



...BY  
CHANNELING  
THE POWERS  
OF THOSE  
THREE  
POKÉMON!

...  
CREATING  
THE "RED  
CHAIN"...

## DIAMOND



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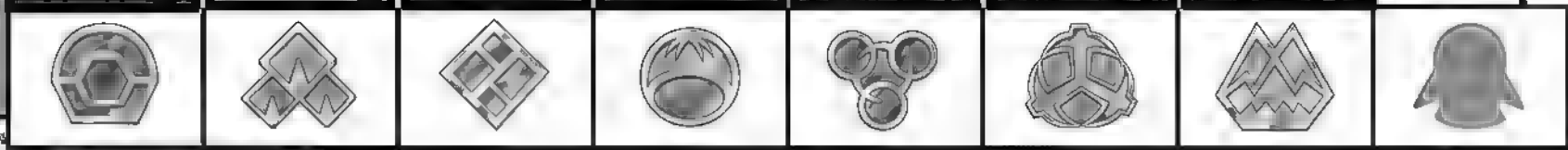
▶ Snowpoint Temple ◀



## PLATINUM

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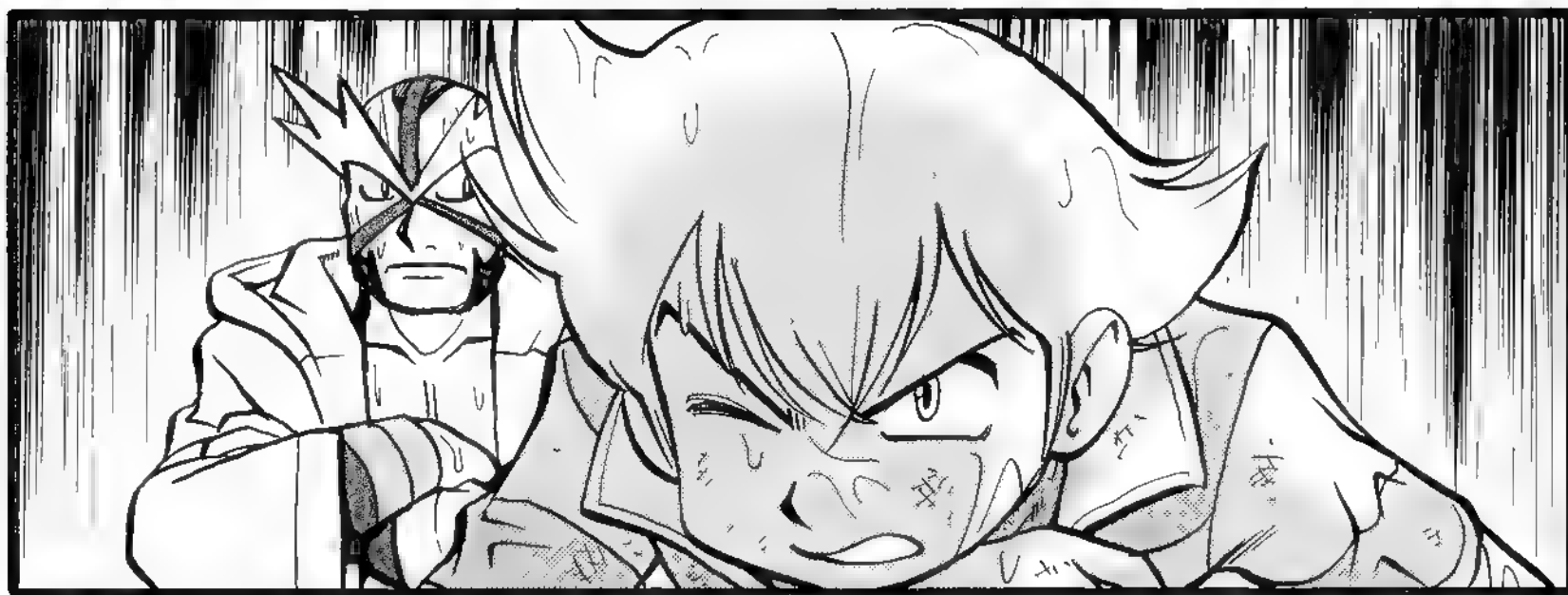
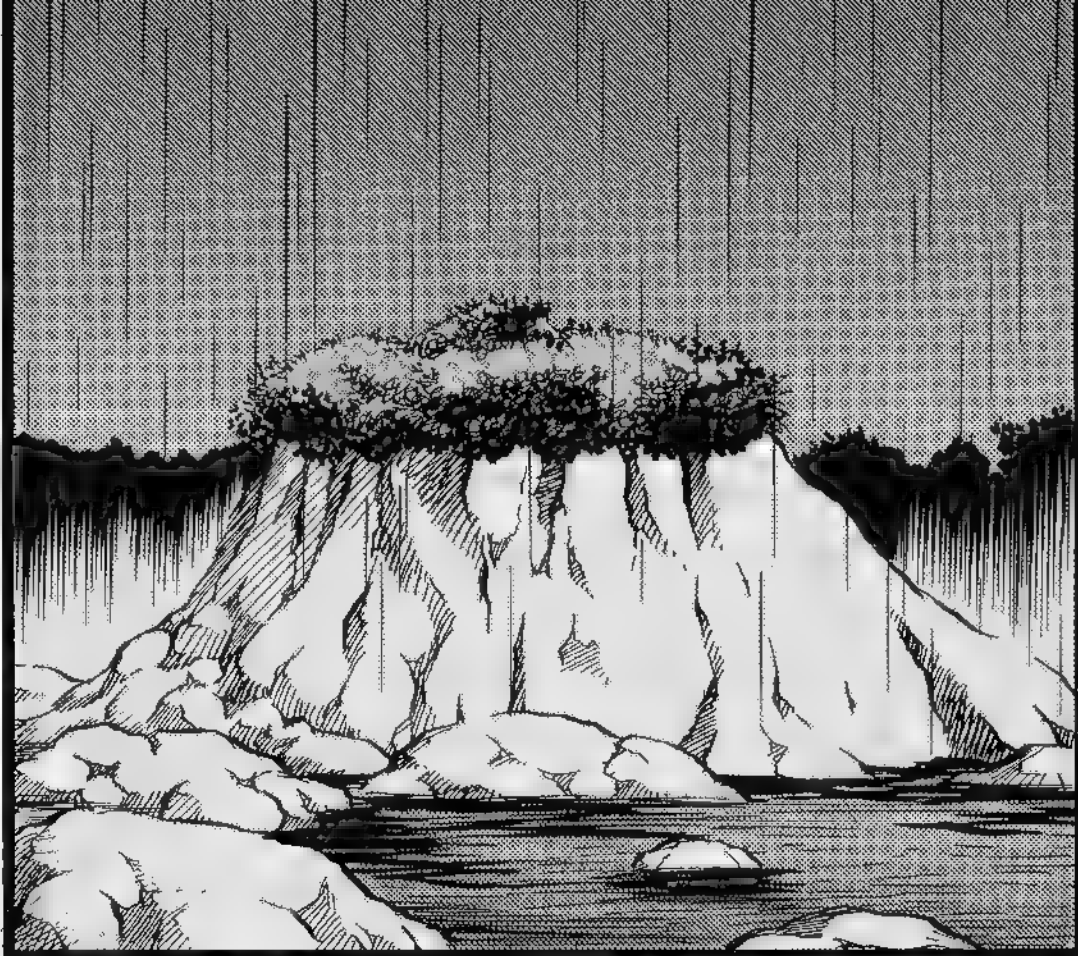
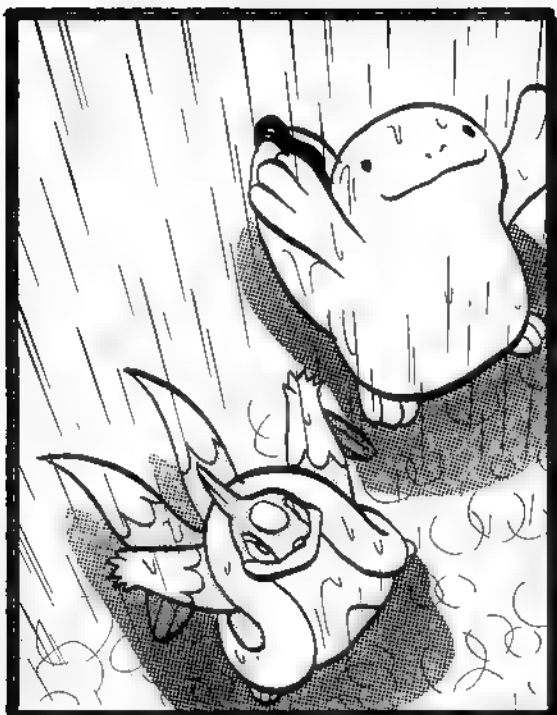


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# Besting Buizel II







BUT  
PEARL IS  
EXHAUSTED  
...

CRASHER  
WAKE IS  
TRAINING  
PEARL  
TONIGHT.

LOOK,  
CLIFF  
AND  
CLIF-  
FETTE!





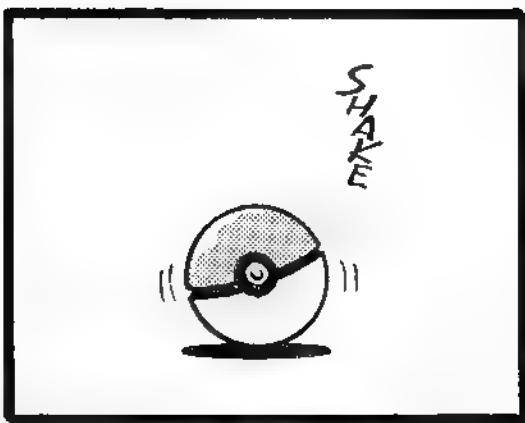
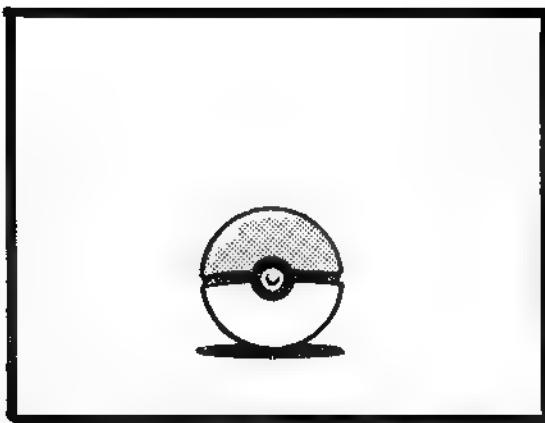
AAAHH  
!!

YOU  
NEED  
TO TAKE  
BETTER  
AIM!!

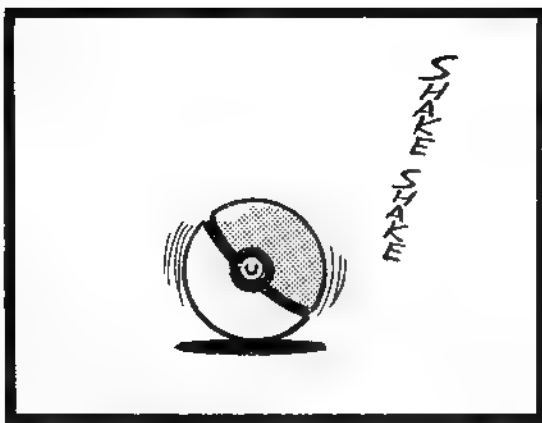
WHAT  
ARE  
YOU  
DOING  
?!



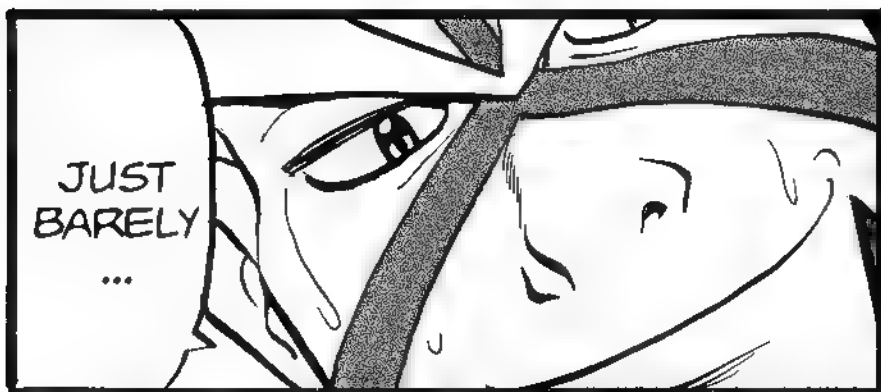




SHAKE



SHAKE  
SHAKE



JUST  
BARELY  
...

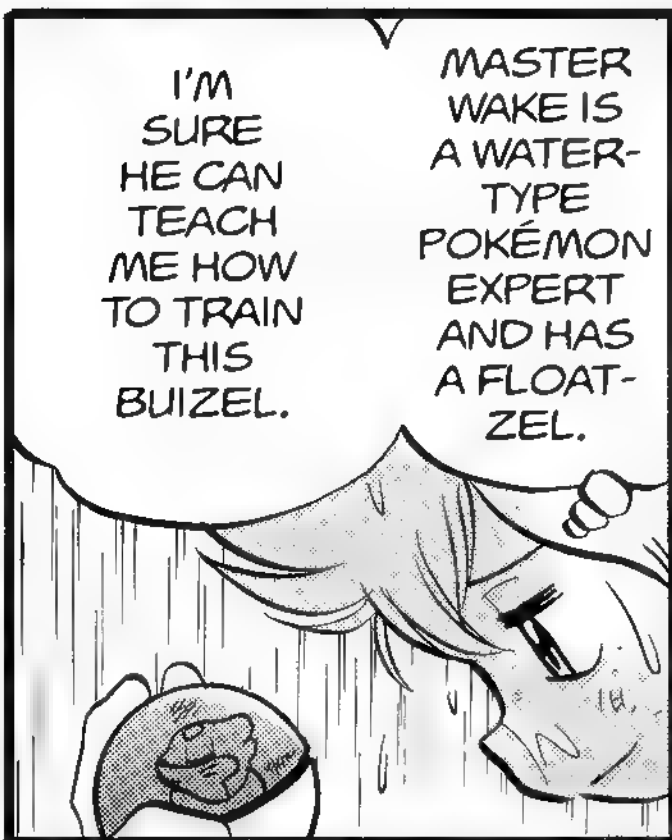


I DID IT,  
MASTER  
WAKE!!  
I GOT  
THE  
BUIZEL  
...!

I  
CAUGHT  
IT...  
IN THE  
POKÉ  
BALL  
!!



HEY  
...



I'M  
SURE  
HE CAN  
TEACH  
ME HOW  
TO TRAIN  
THIS  
BUIZEL.

MASTER  
WAKE IS  
A WATER-  
TYPE  
POKÉMON  
EXPERT  
AND HAS  
A FLOAT-  
ZEL.



...THOSE TWO  
BODYGUARDS...

COME  
TO  
THINK  
OF IT...





I'M  
COUNTING  
ON YOU  
FOR THAT,  
BUIZEL!



MAYBE I CAN GET AS  
STRONG AS THEM...  
BY USING THE SAME  
POKÉMON!!



THEY TOLD DIA  
AND ME THAT WE  
WERE LIKE THEIR  
APPRENTICES...



...  
ZELLER!

AND  
FROM  
THIS DAY  
ON, YOUR  
NAME  
IS...



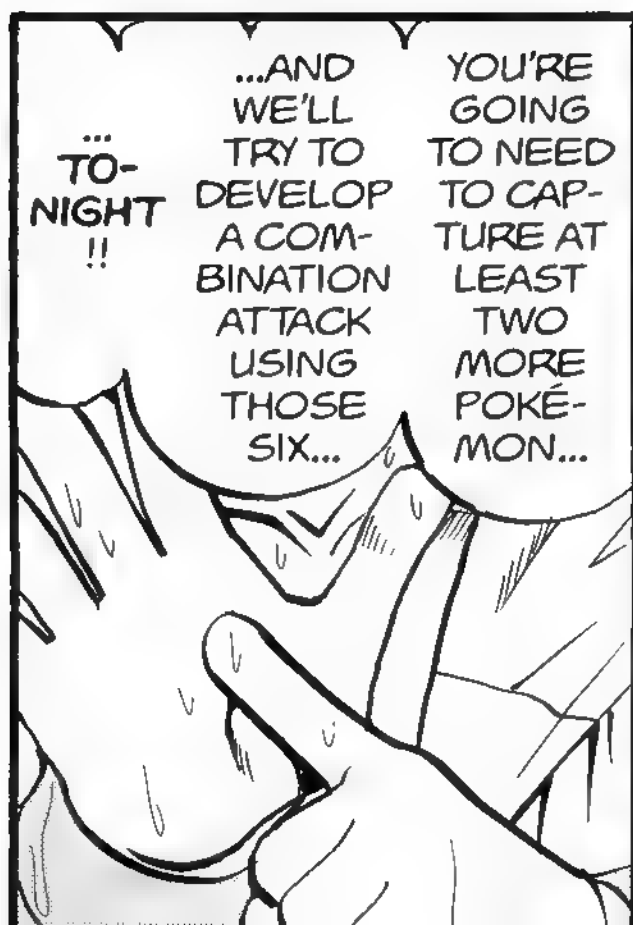
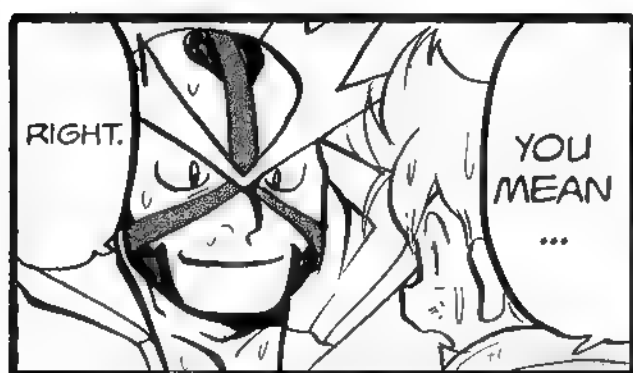
...JUST  
BECAUSE  
YOU  
CAPTURED  
IT.

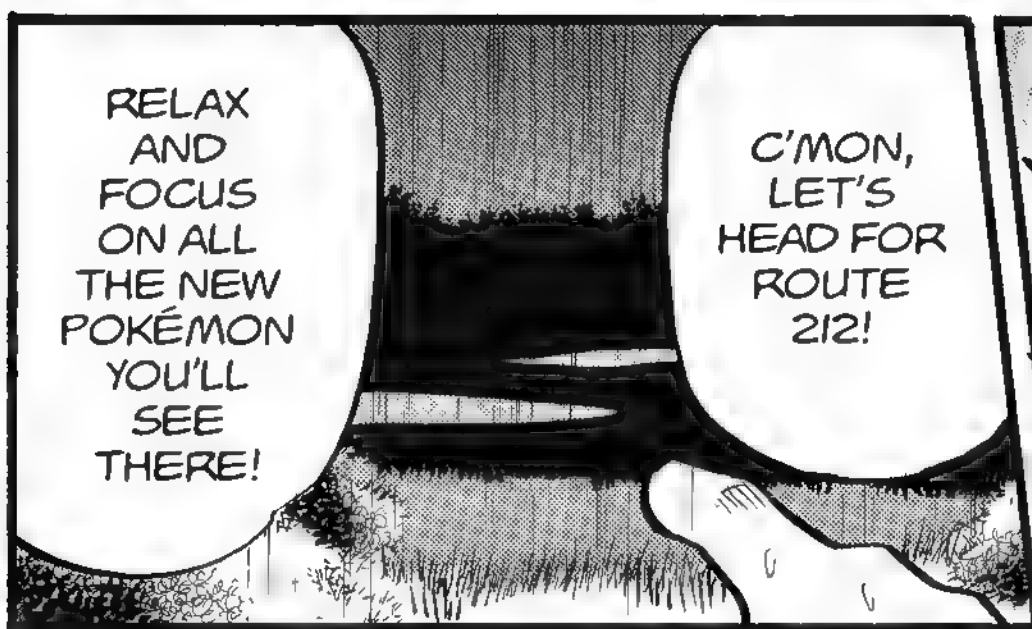
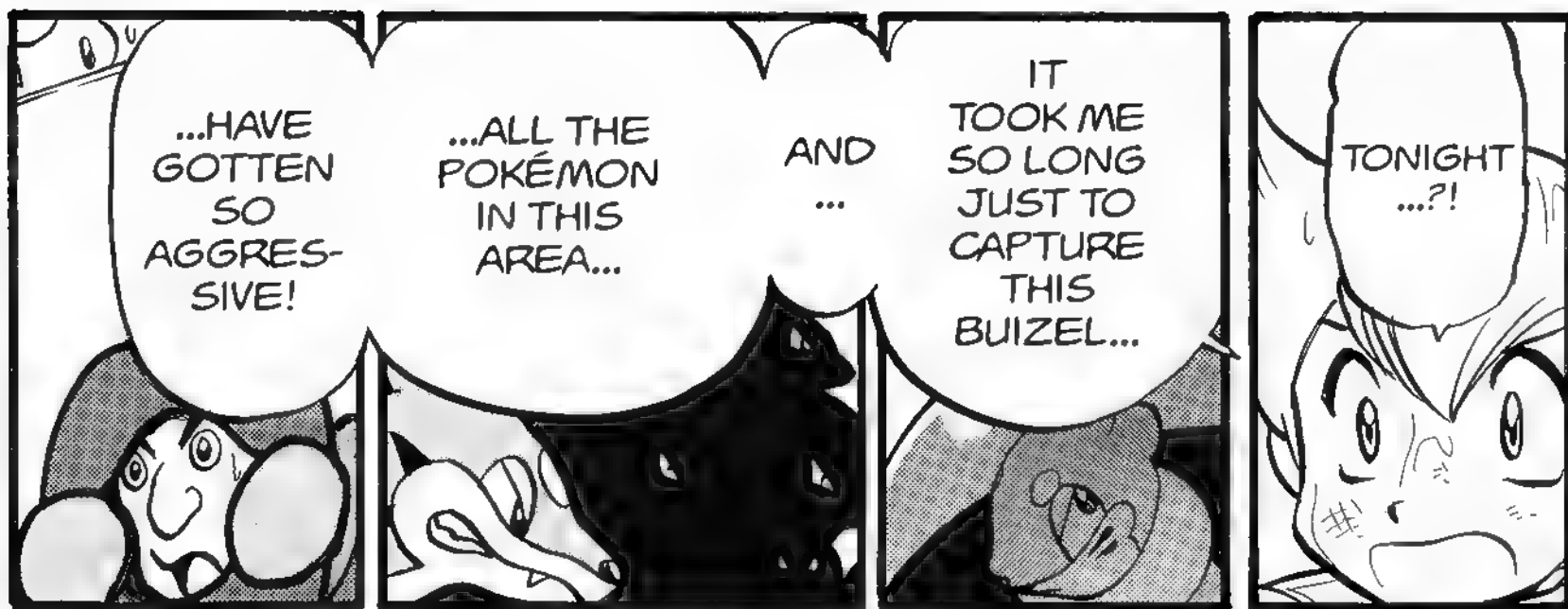
DON'T  
THINK IT'S  
GOING TO  
FOLLOW  
YOUR  
ORDERS...



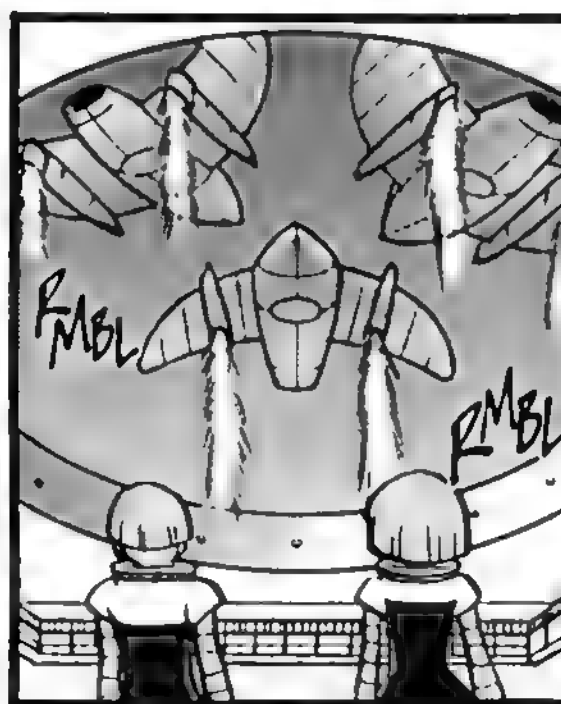
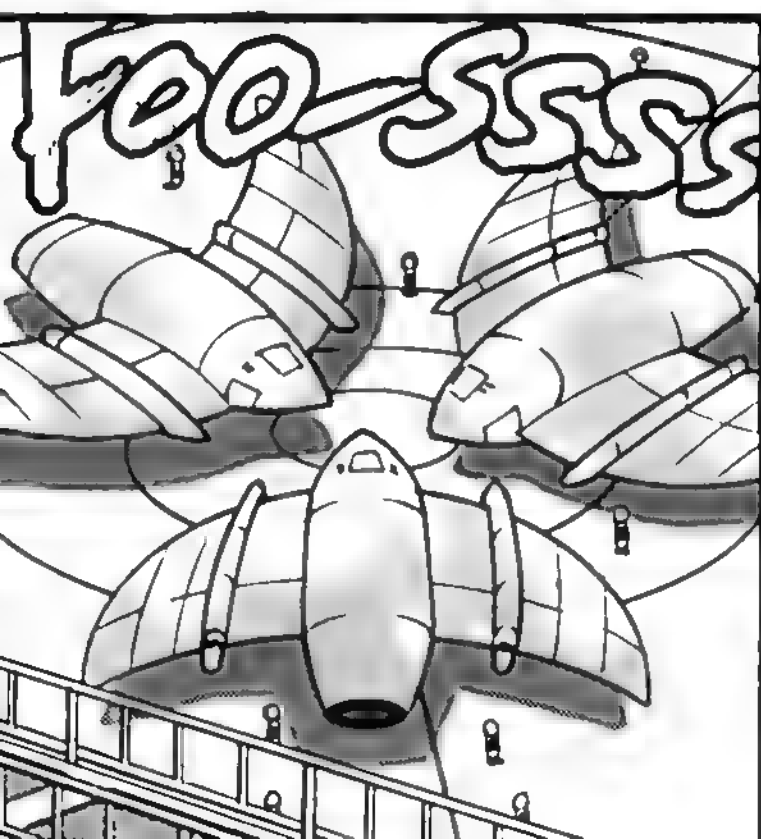
WHOA  
!!

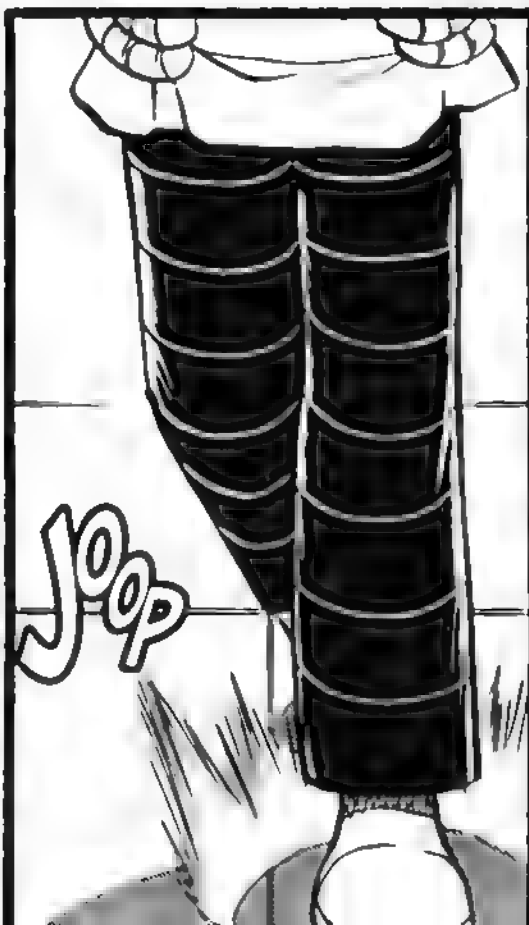
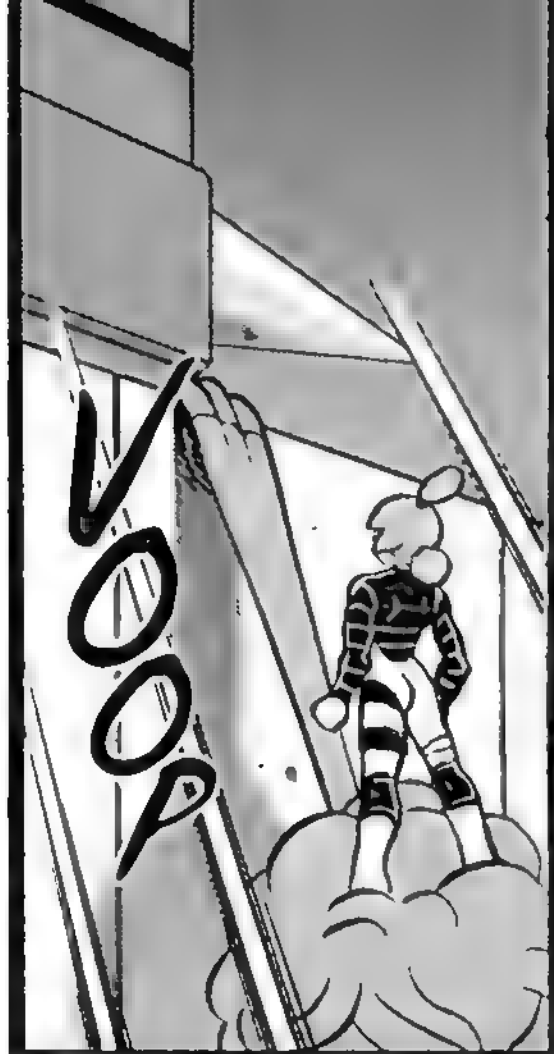
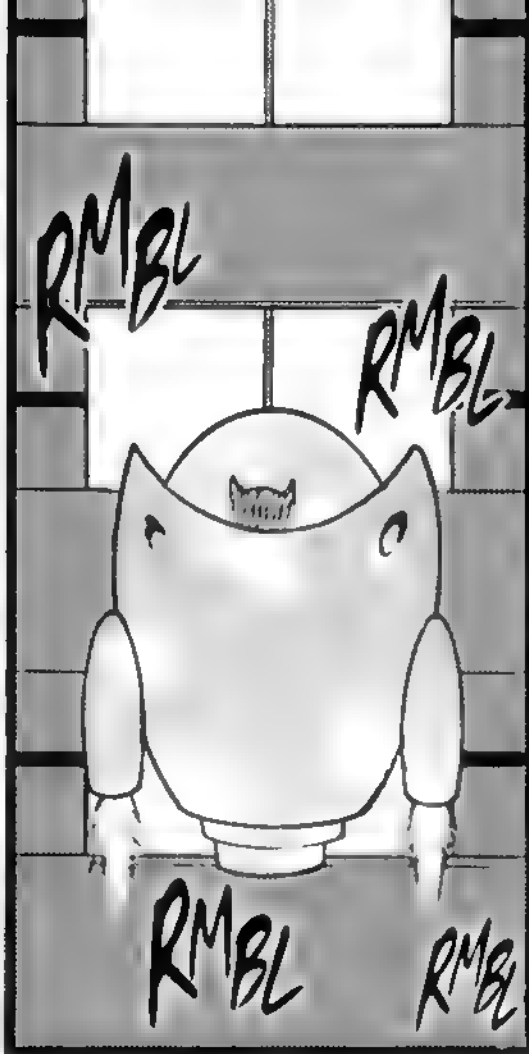
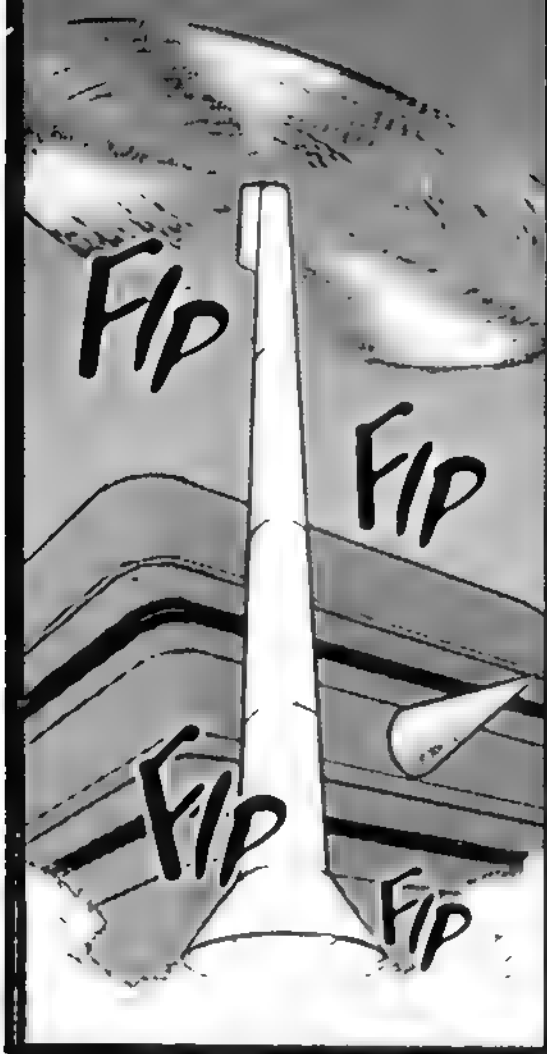
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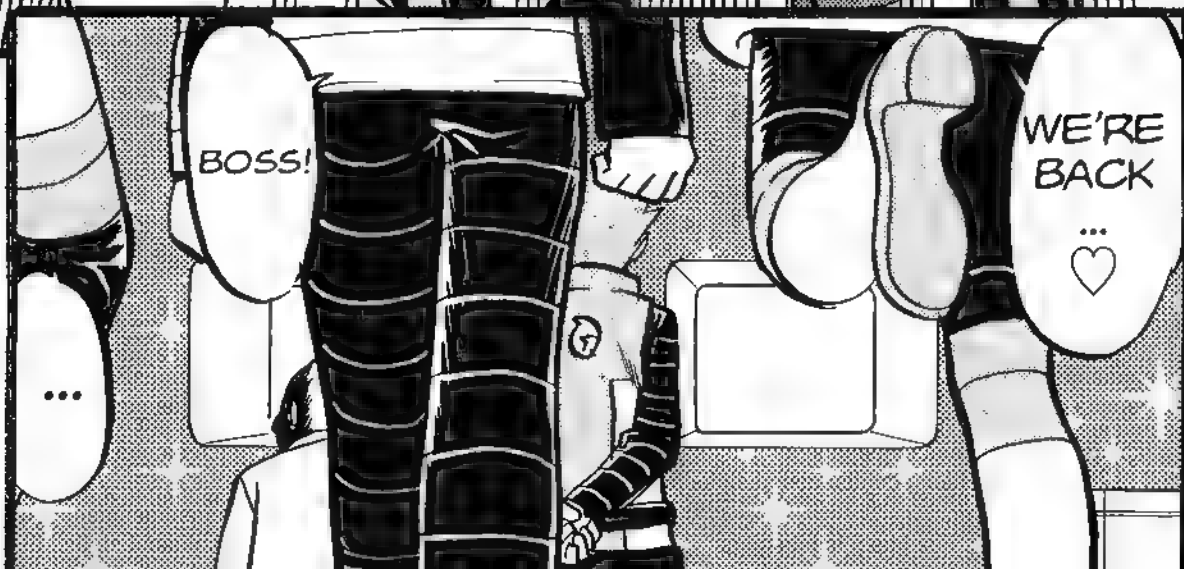




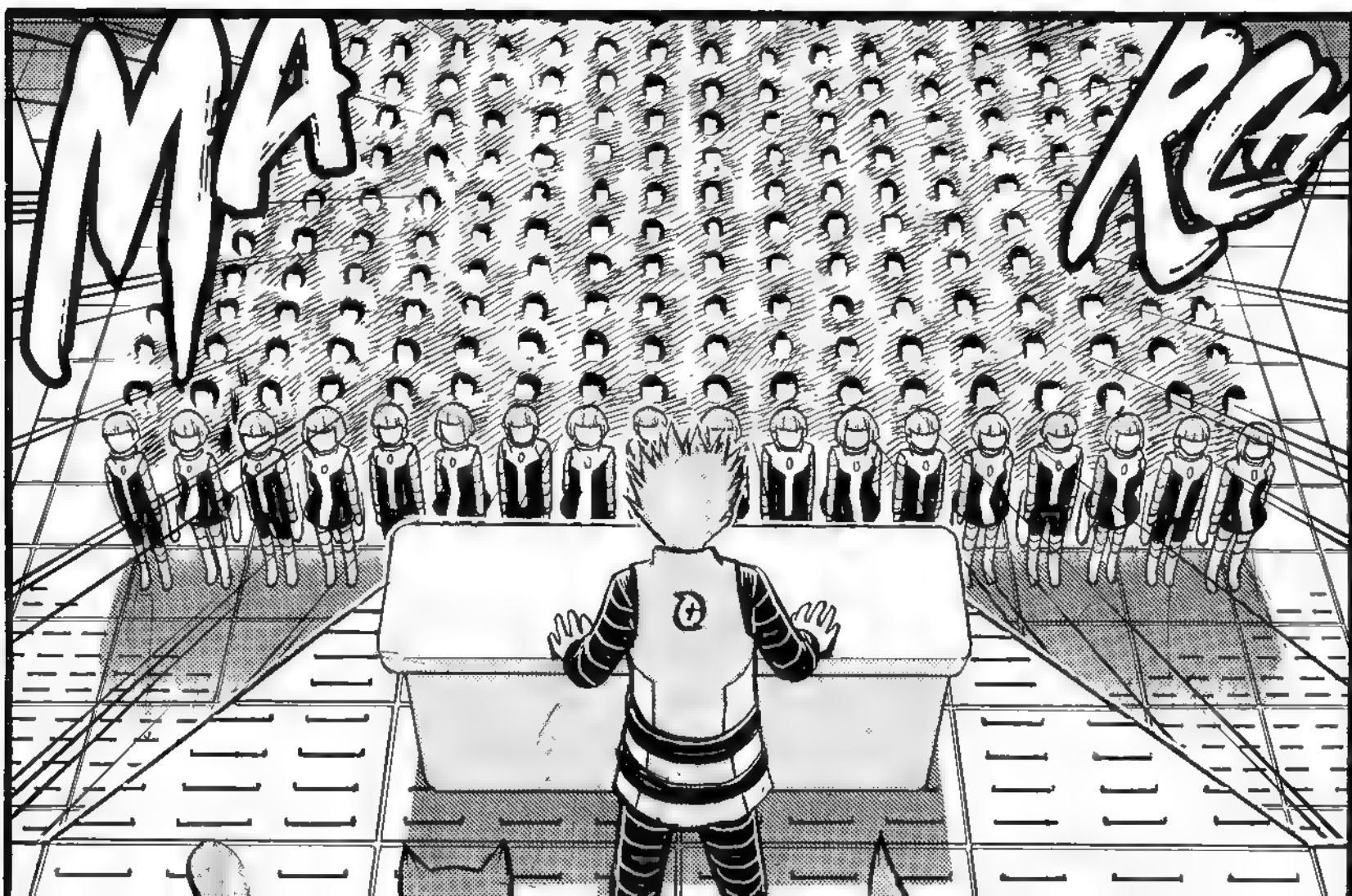
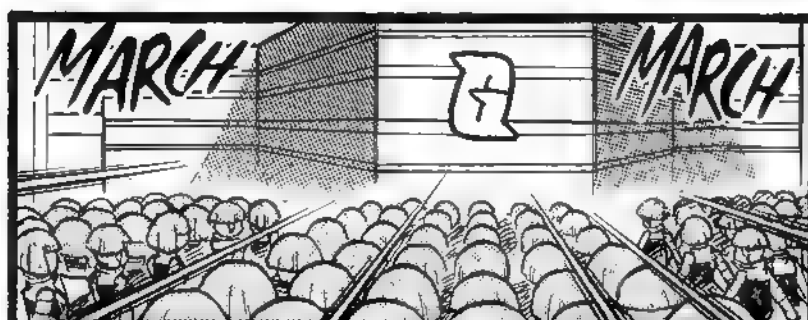
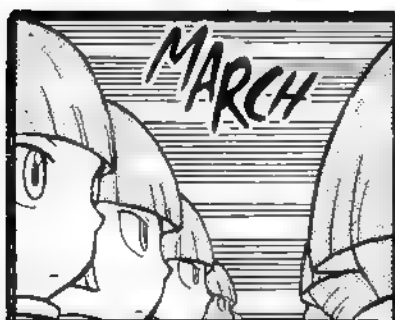


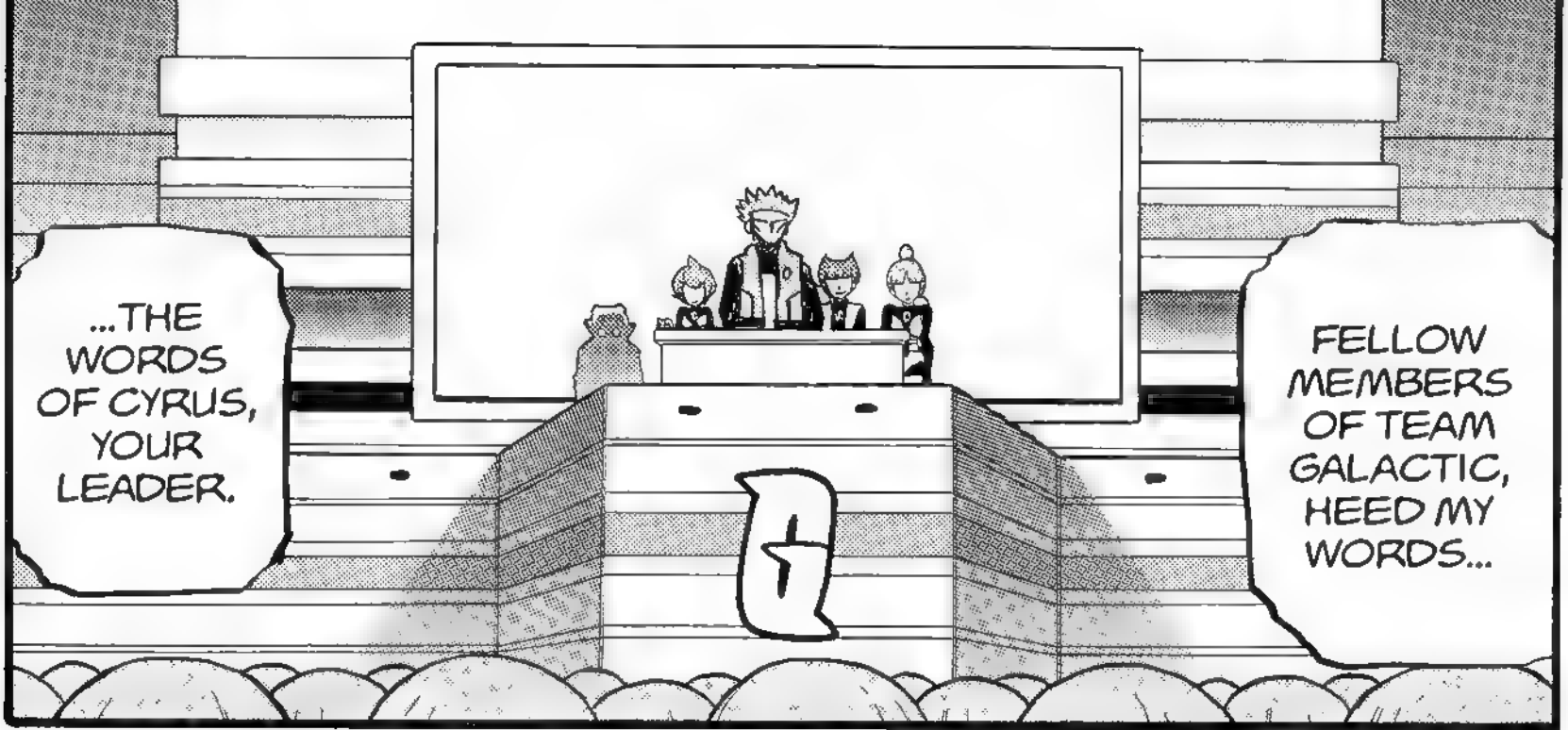












...THE  
WORDS  
OF CYRUS,  
YOUR  
LEADER.

FELLOW  
MEMBERS  
OF TEAM  
GALACTIC,  
HEED MY  
WORDS...



IMPER-  
FECTION  
LEADS  
TO VIO-  
LENCE  
AND  
CON-  
FLICT!

THEY  
ARE ALL  
IMPER-  
FECT.

THE  
PEOPLE...  
THE  
POKÉMON...

...OF  
LIVING  
IN THIS  
IMPERFECT  
WORLD.

YOU  
KNOW  
THE  
SUF-  
FER-  
ING...



WHO  
INDEED  
?

...WHO  
WILL  
ACCOM-  
PLISH  
THAT  
CHANGE  
?!  
...  
WHO  
WILL  
ACCOM-  
PLISH  
THAT  
CHANGE  
?!  
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WHO  
WILL  
ACCOM-  
PLISH  
THAT  
CHANGE  
?!  
...

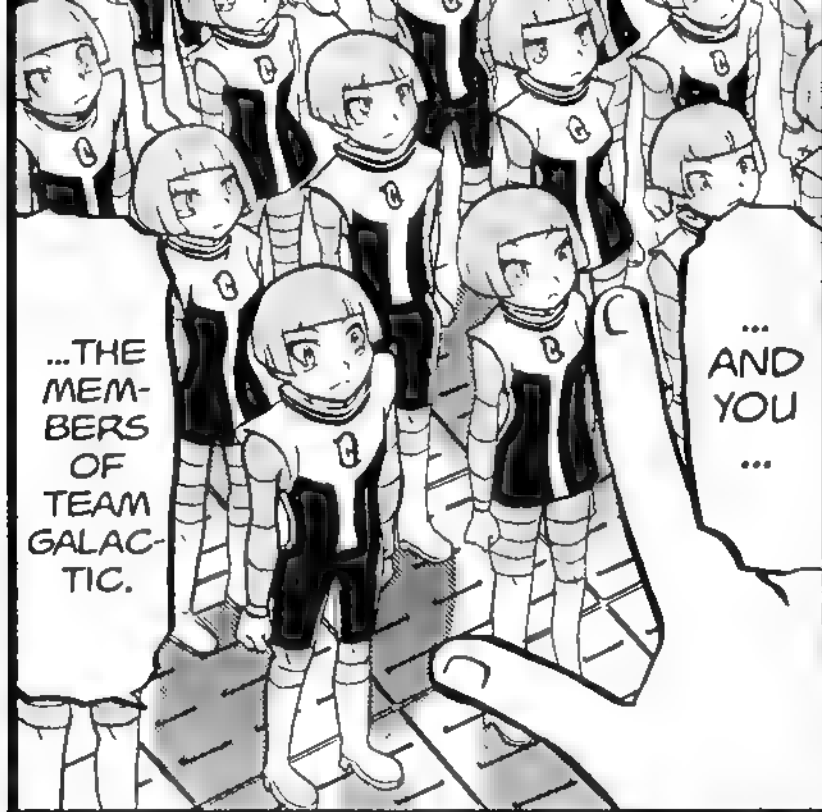
BUT  
...

THIS  
WORLD  
MUST  
CHANGE!!

THIS  
WORLD  
MUST BE  
PERFECT!

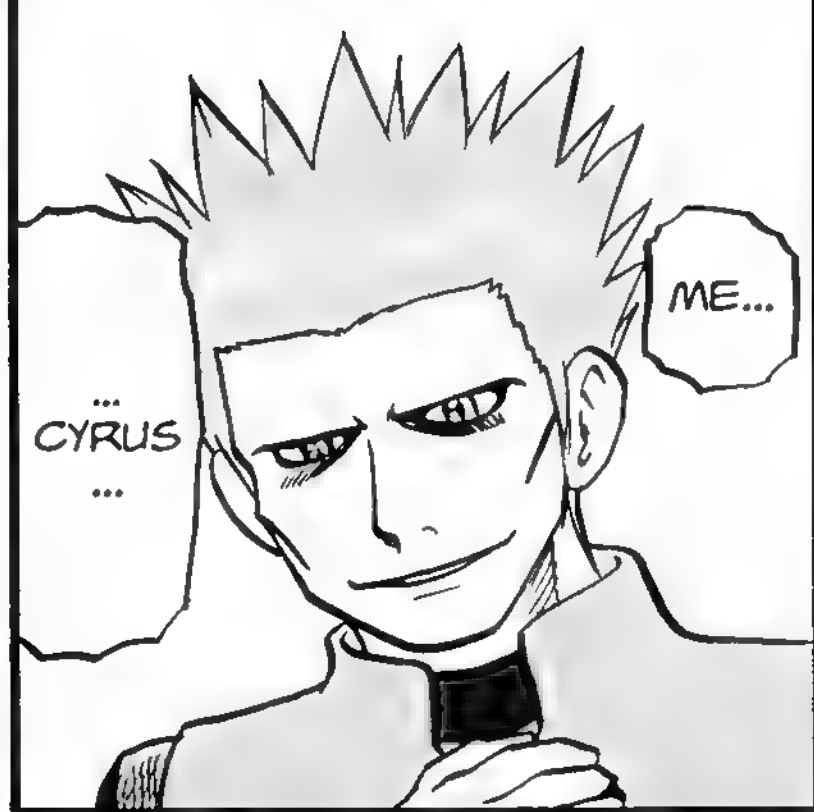
WHICH I  
LOATHE  
!!

I  
HATE THIS  
WORLD  
FOR ITS  
IMPERFEC-  
TIONS!!



...THE MEMBERS OF TEAM GALACTIC.

... AND YOU ...



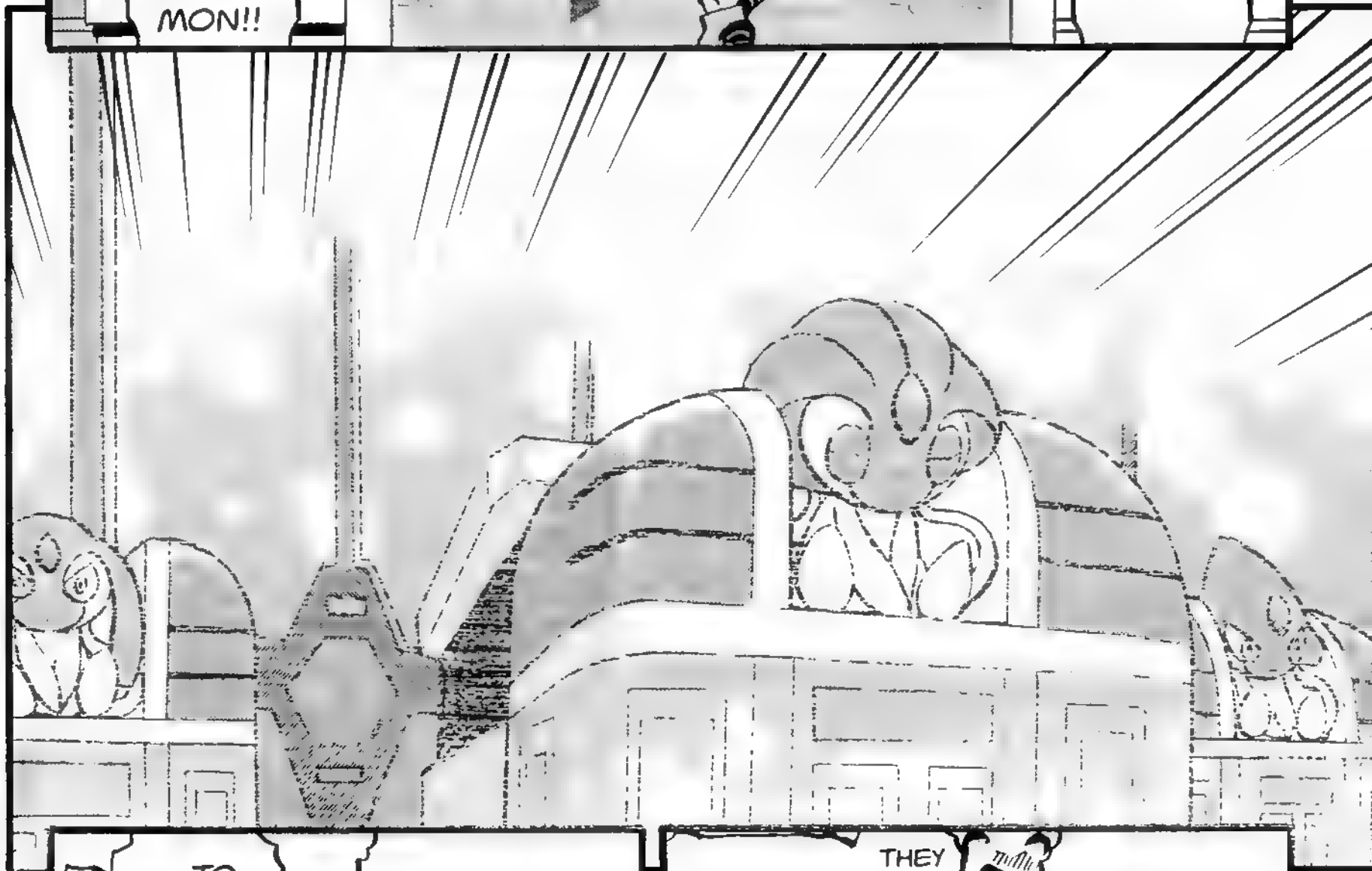
... CYRUS ...

ME...



...THE THREE LEGENDARY POKÉMON!!

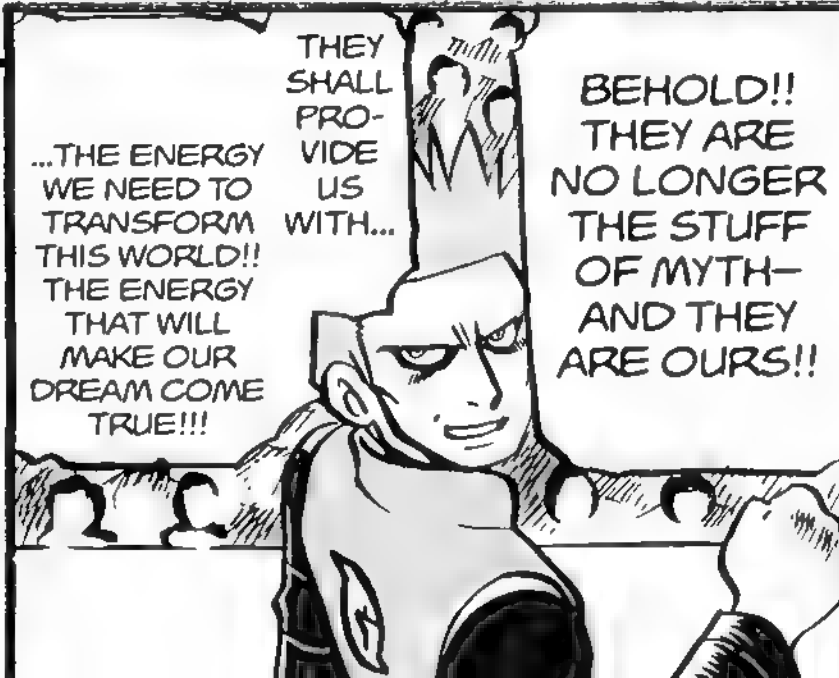
NOW LET ME SHOW YOU...



...TO FORGE THE RED CHAIN!!

AND THEN ...!!

WE WILL CRYSTALLIZE THE POWER OF THESE THREE POKÉMON...

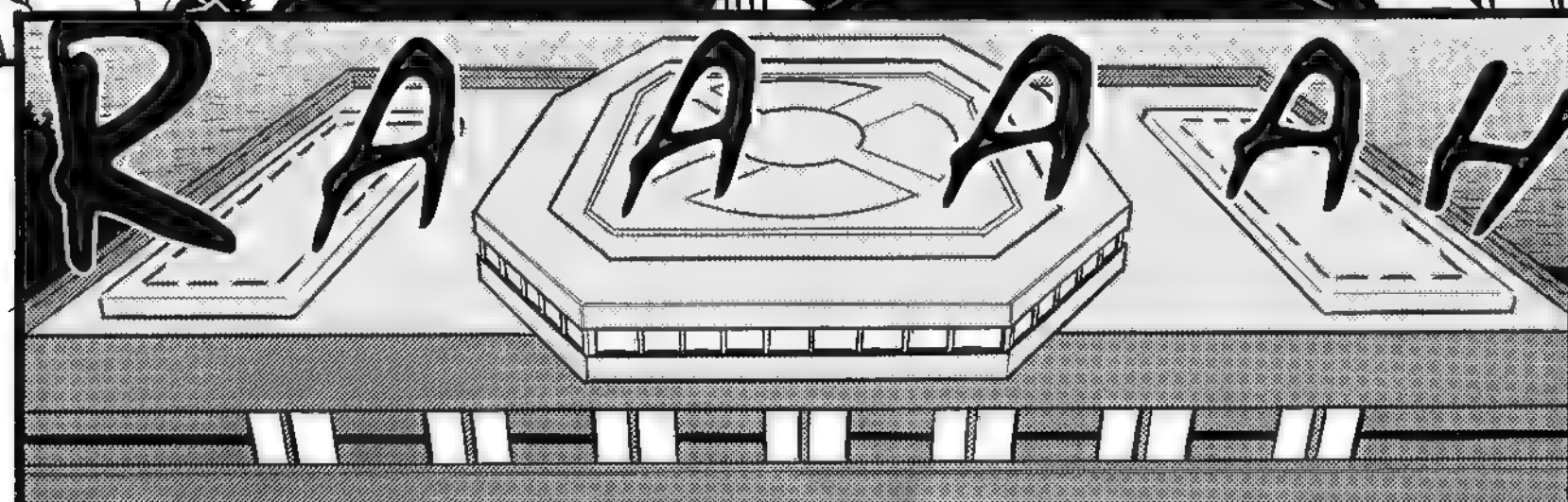


...THE ENERGY WE NEED TO TRANSFORM THIS WORLD!! THE ENERGY THAT WILL MAKE OUR DREAM COME TRUE!!!

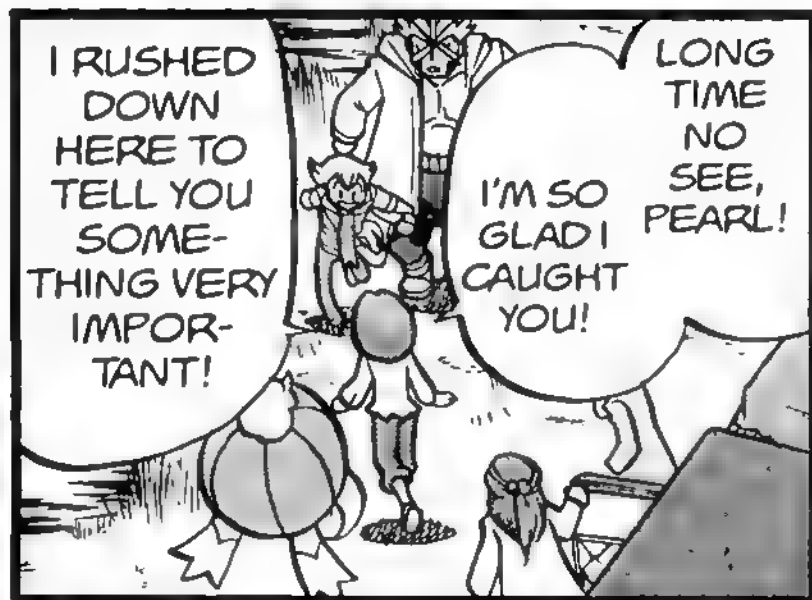
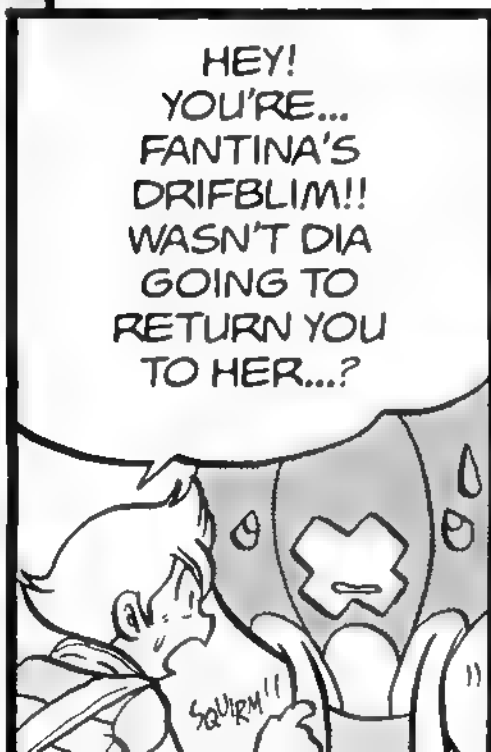
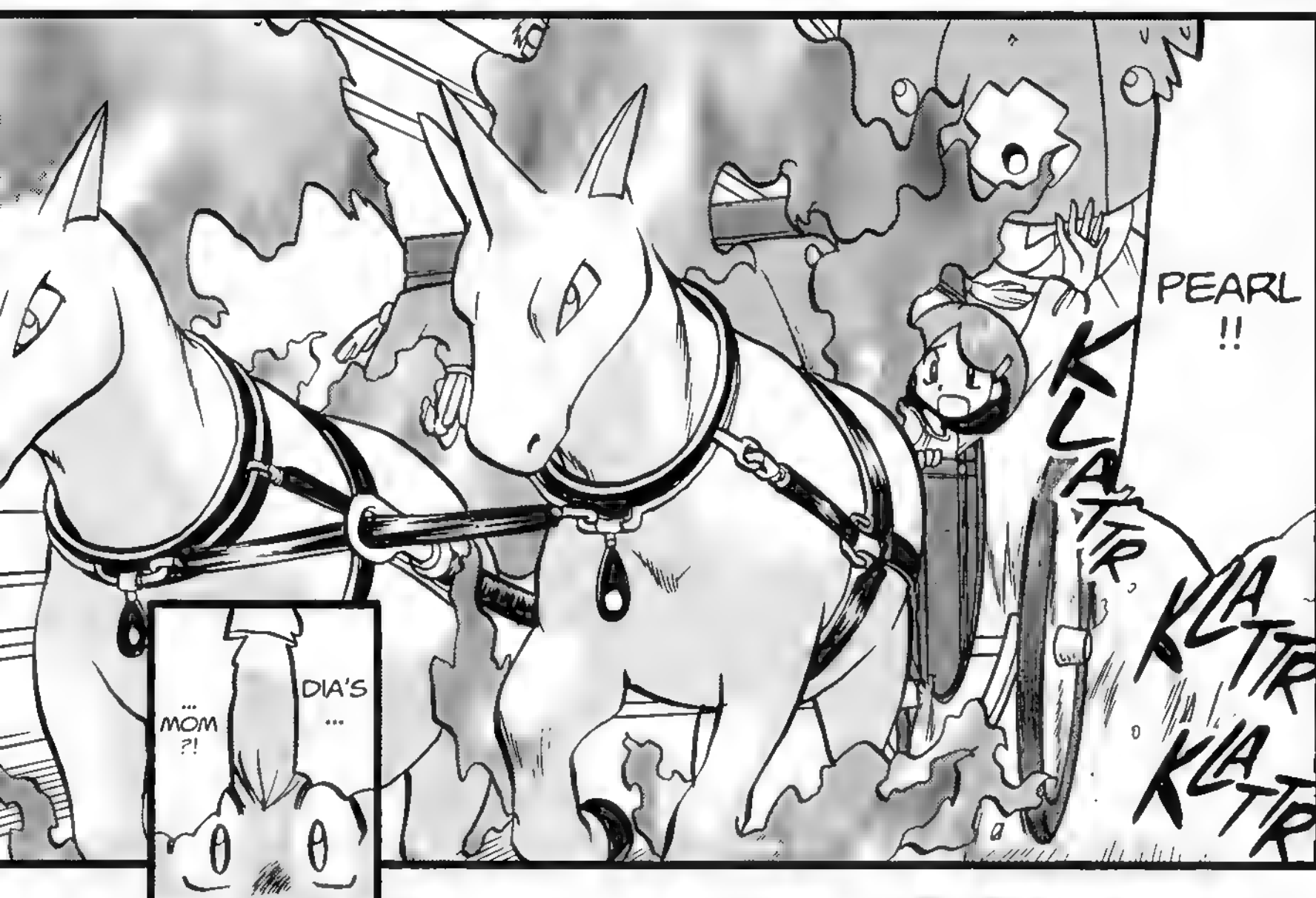
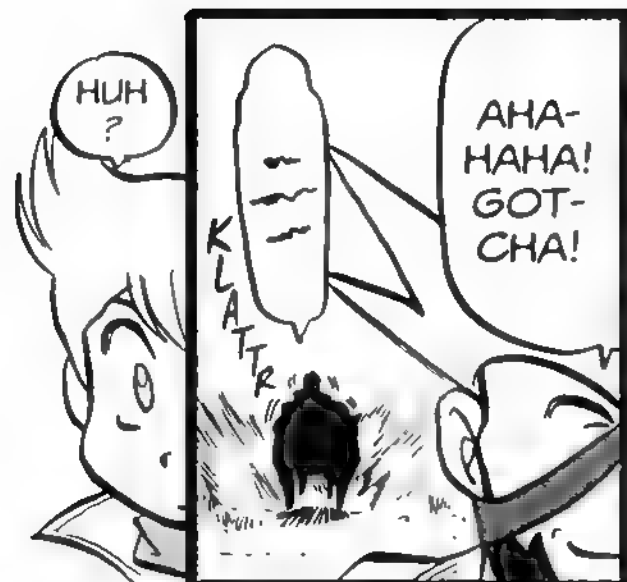
THEY SHALL PROVIDE US WITH...

BEHOLD!! THEY ARE NO LONGER THE STUFF OF MYTH—AND THEY ARE OURS!!

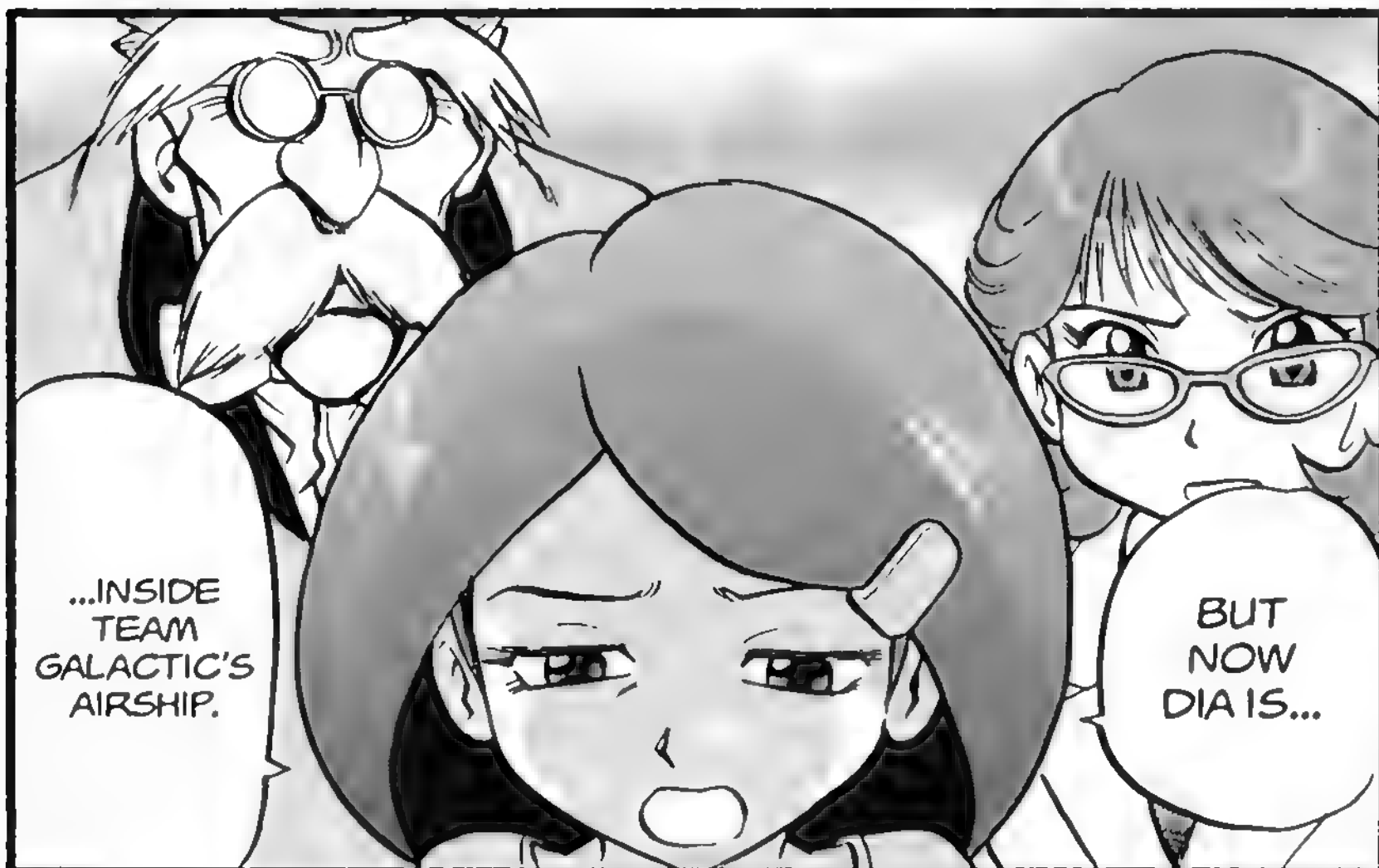
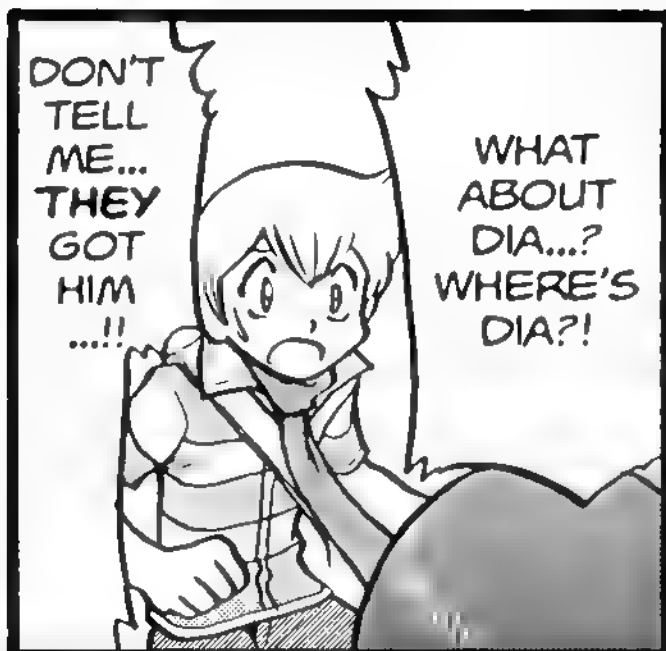












# ADVENTURE MAP

## DIAMOND



TRU Torterra ♂		KIT Lickilicky ♂	
LAX Munchlax ♂			
DON Shieldon ♂			

## PEARL



CHIMLER Infernape ♂		ZELLER Buizel ♂	
CHATLER Chatot ♂			
RAYLER Luxray ♂			



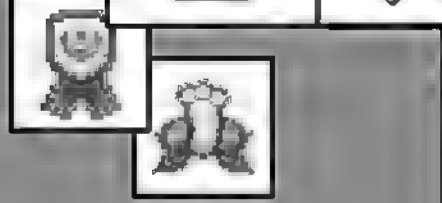
▶ Snowpoint Temple ◀



## PLATINUM

EMPOLEON Empoleon ♀		LOPUNNY Lopunny ♀		
RAPIDASH Rapidash ♂				

Oreburgh VS Roark Coal Badge	Eterna VS Gardenia Forest Badge	Veilstone VS Maylene Cobble Badge	Pastoria VS Wake Fen Badge	Hearthome VS Fantina Relic Badge	Canalave VS Byron Mine Badge	Snowpoint City VS Candice Icicle Badge	



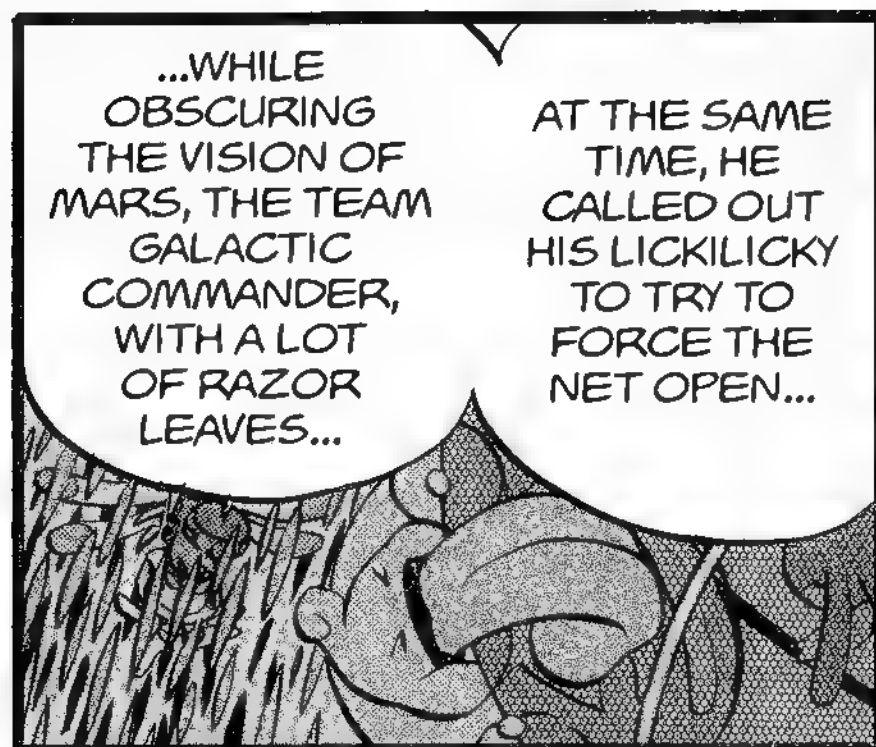
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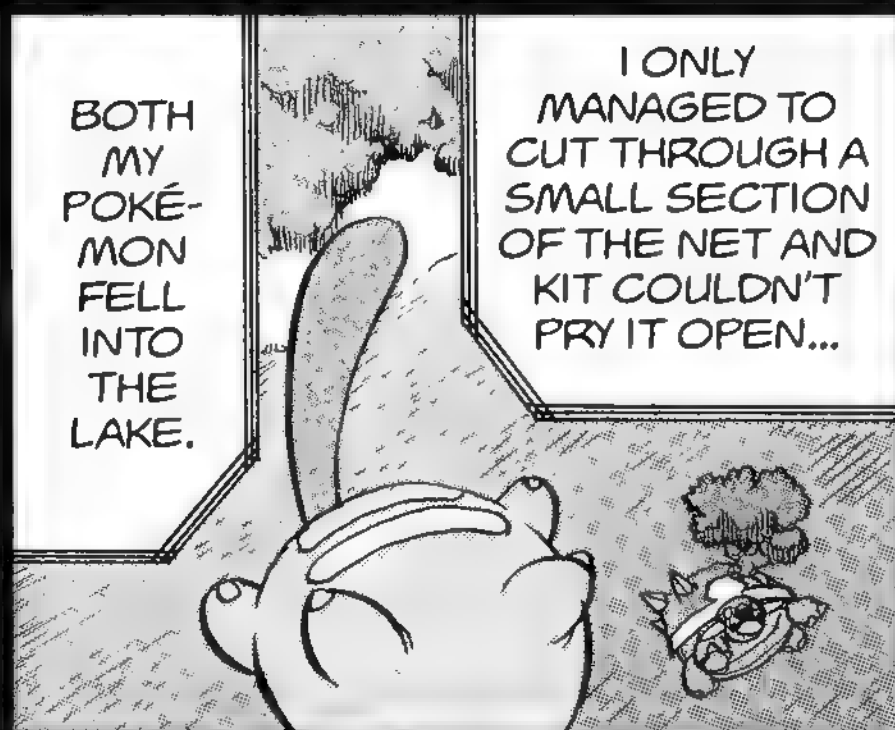
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... ..  
... ..  
... ..







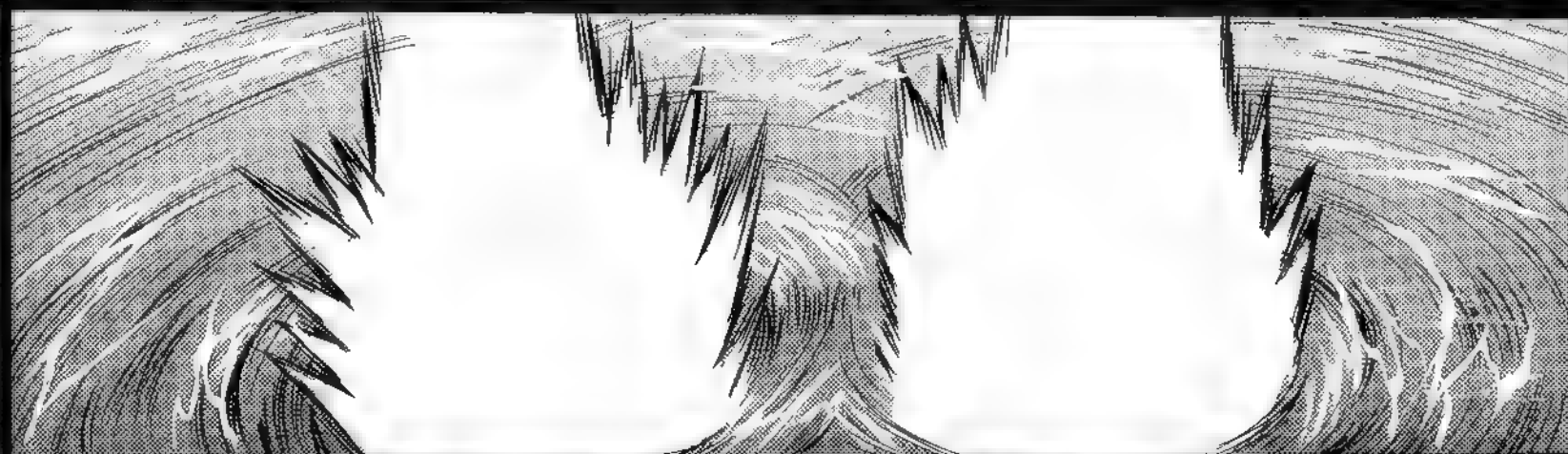
BOTH  
MY  
POKÉ-  
MON  
FELL  
INTO  
THE  
LAKE.

I ONLY  
MANAGED TO  
CUT THROUGH A  
SMALL SECTION  
OF THE NET AND  
KIT COULDN'T  
PRY IT OPEN...

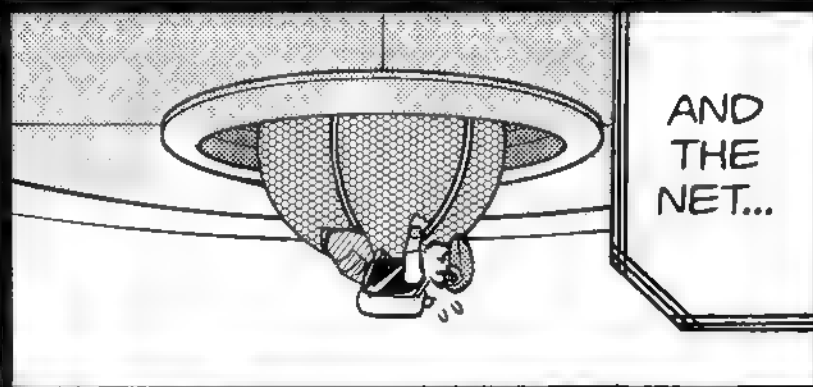


...I  
FAILED.

BUT  
...



...GOT  
DRAGGED  
INTO THE  
AIRSHIP—  
WITH ME  
STILL ON  
IT.



AND  
THE  
NET...



I BET MARS  
DIDN'T SEE  
ME CALLING  
KIT OUT, SO  
WHEN...



BUT THE  
AIRSHIP  
LEFT AS IF  
NOTHING HAD  
HAPPENED—  
WITH ME  
INSIDE.



I HID AT  
FIRST  
BECAUSE I  
THOUGHT  
MARS WAS  
GOING  
TO COME  
INSIDE THE  
AIRSHIP.



...SHE  
THOUGHT  
THE  
SPLASHES  
WERE TRU  
AND ME.

...TRU  
AND  
KIT  
FELL  
INTO  
THE  
LAKE...



...AND  
THIS  
DRIFBLIM  
WAS  
PULLING  
YOUNG  
MASTER  
DIA'S  
POKÉMON  
OUT OF  
THE  
LAKE.

I WAS  
FLABBER-  
GASTED  
WHEN I HEARD  
HIS STORY. WHEN  
WE RETURNED  
TO THE LAKE,  
THE TEAM  
GALACTIC  
GRUNTS HAD ALL  
VANISHED...



I  
CALLED  
HIM ON  
HIS CELL  
PHONE. I  
GOT HIM  
ONE AS A  
PRESENT.

WAIT...  
HOW  
DID  
YOU  
TALK  
TO  
DIA?



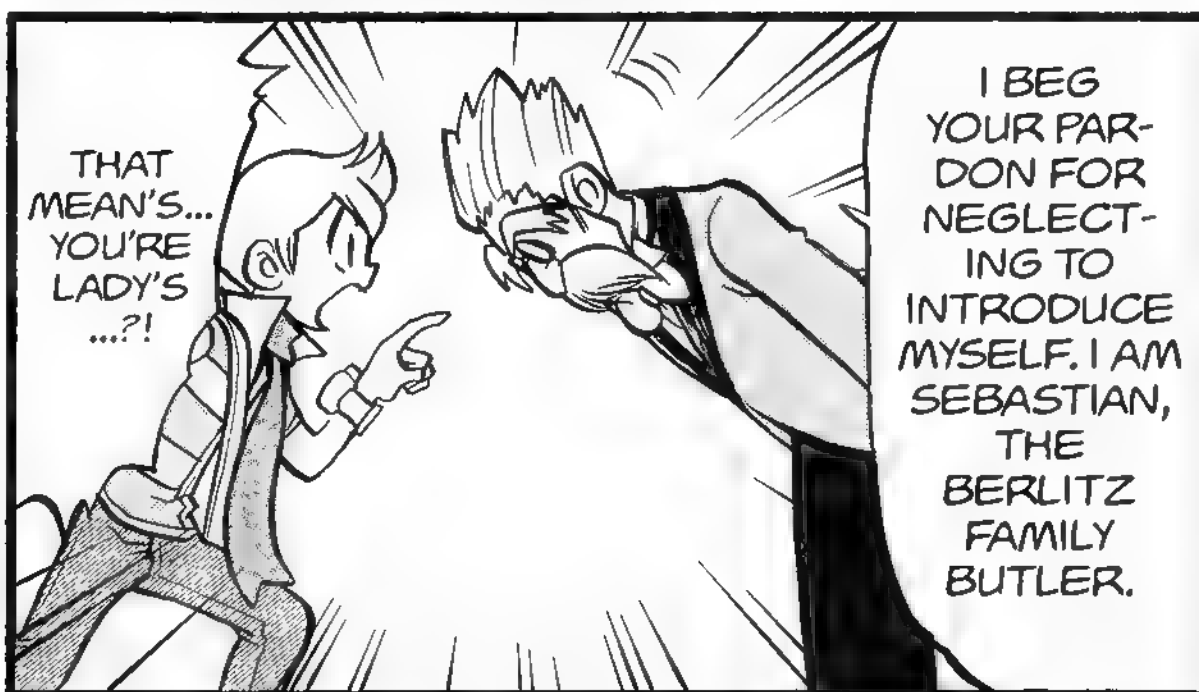
"YOUNG  
MASTER  
DIA"...?  
AND WHO  
EXACTLY  
ARE  
YOU...?

HURMM  
...

IT  
WAS ALL  
JUST AS  
YOUNG  
MASTER DIA  
RELATED  
TO US.



PRECISELY!!  
AND YOU MUST  
BE YOUNG  
MASTER PEARL.  
I'VE BEEN  
SO LOOKING  
FORWARD TO  
MEETING  
YOU!!



THAT  
MEAN'S...  
YOU'RE  
LADY'S  
...?!

I BEG  
YOUR PAR-  
DON FOR  
NEGLECT-  
ING TO  
INTRODUCE  
MYSELF. I AM  
SEBASTIAN,  
THE  
BERLITZ  
FAMILY  
BUTLER.

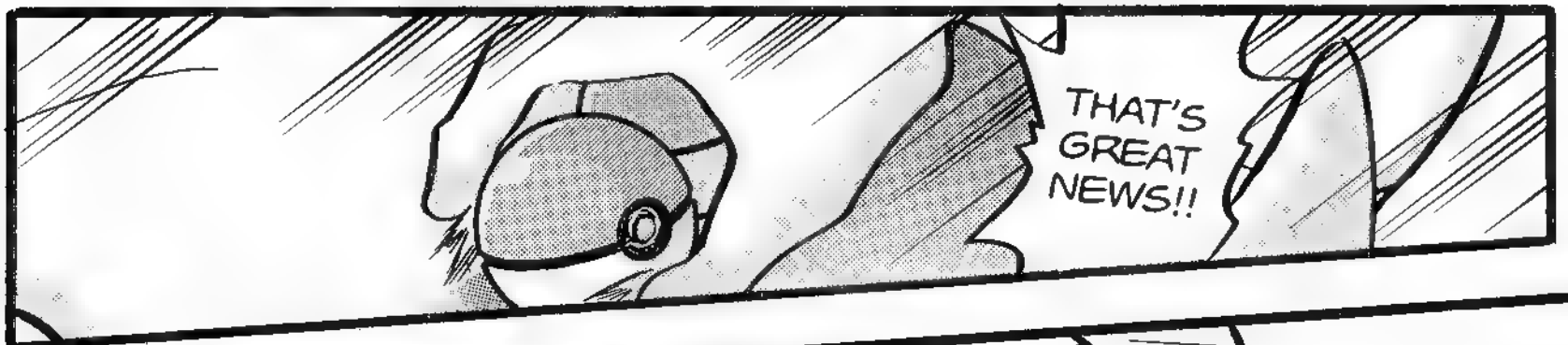




SO  
DIA'S  
BEEN  
DOING  
WELL!!



I'M  
ROSEANNE,  
PROFESSOR  
ROWAN'S  
ASSISTANT.  
NICE TO  
MEETCHA.



THAT'S  
GREAT  
NEWS!!



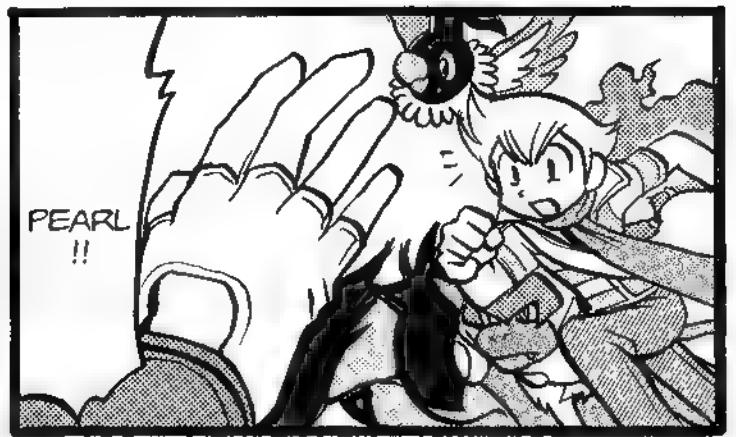
...HE'S  
JUST  
FINE!!

IF I  
KNOW  
MY  
DIA...



I'LL  
HAND  
THESE  
TWO  
OVER  
TO DIA  
WHEN  
I GET  
THERE!!

I'M  
GLAD YOU  
TOLD ME ALL  
THIS!! I WAS  
JUST ABOUT  
TO LEAVE FOR  
VEILSTONE  
CITY TOO.





HE'S A  
GOOD  
ENTHU-  
SIASTIC  
BOY.



THAT BOY  
PEARL...  
TAUGHT HIM  
EVERYTHING  
I COULD IN  
ONE NIGHT.

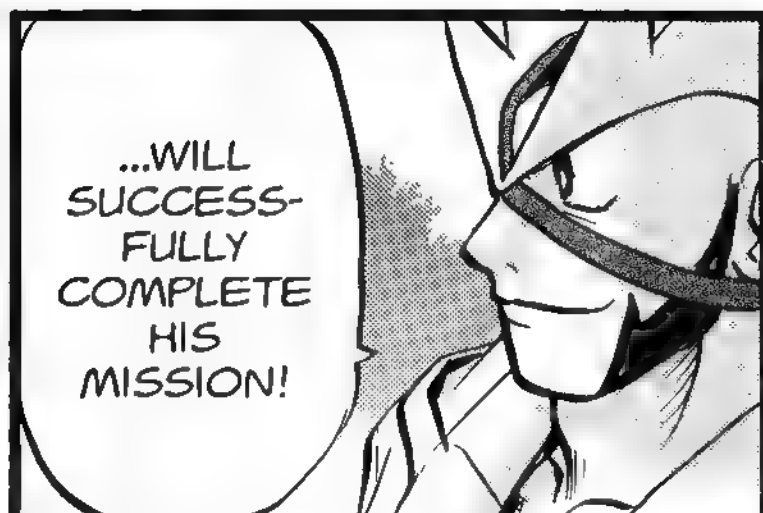


AND IF HE  
BELIEVES HIS  
FRIEND DIA IS  
"JUST FINE,"  
I'M SURE YOUR  
SON...



I STILL  
HAVEN'T  
GOTTEN  
IT ALL  
STRAIGHT  
IN MY  
BUT HEAD.  
...

I  
THOUGHT HE  
WENT ON A  
LITTLE JAUNT  
WITH PEARL.  
I HAD NO  
IDEA HE WAS  
INVOLVED IN  
SOMETHING  
SO HUGE...



...WILL  
SUCCESS-  
FULLY  
COMPLETE  
HIS  
MISSION!



DIA  
EXPLAINED  
IT...  
AS BEST HE  
COULD...



THANK  
YOU  
FOR  
YOUR  
TRUST  
IN HIM.



YES.  
WHY  
DO  
YOU  
ASK?

YOU'RE  
AT HOME,  
AREN'T  
YOU? ARE  
YOU IN MY  
ROOM?

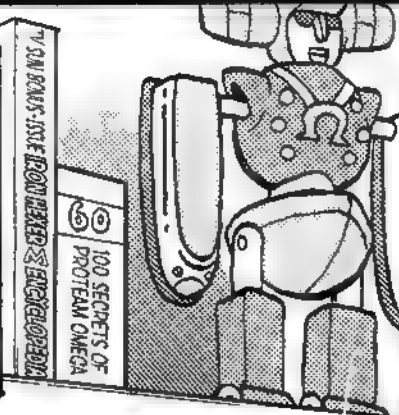
MOM...

WHAT  
ARE YOU  
TALKING  
ABOUT, DIA?!  
NO, DIAMOND!!  
DON'T DO  
ANYTHING  
RASH...!

I'M  
GOING TO  
TAKE ON  
TEAM  
GALACTIC  
NOW!!

SURE.  
I CAN  
EVEN  
SING  
THE  
THEME  
SONG.

SO  
YOU'VE  
SEEN THE  
MOVIES  
AND DVDS?



ALL THE  
PROTEAM  
OMEGA  
POSTERS,  
BOOKS AND  
TOYS.

THEN  
YOU  
CAN  
SEE IT,  
CAN'T  
YOU?

SPEEDING  
ACROSS THE  
LAND!  
♪  
SOARING  
ACROSS THE  
SKY!  
♪

# PROTEAM

OKAY,  
THEN...  
I WANT  
TO YOU  
REMEMBER  
WHAT THE  
STORY'S  
ABOUT.

GET  
READY  
!!

WE  
HAVE AN  
EMER-  
GENCY  
!!

GATHER  
AROUND,  
TEAM!!

PA  
PA

COMMANDER



OMEGA  
BAL-  
LOON!

OMEGA  
RES-  
CUE!



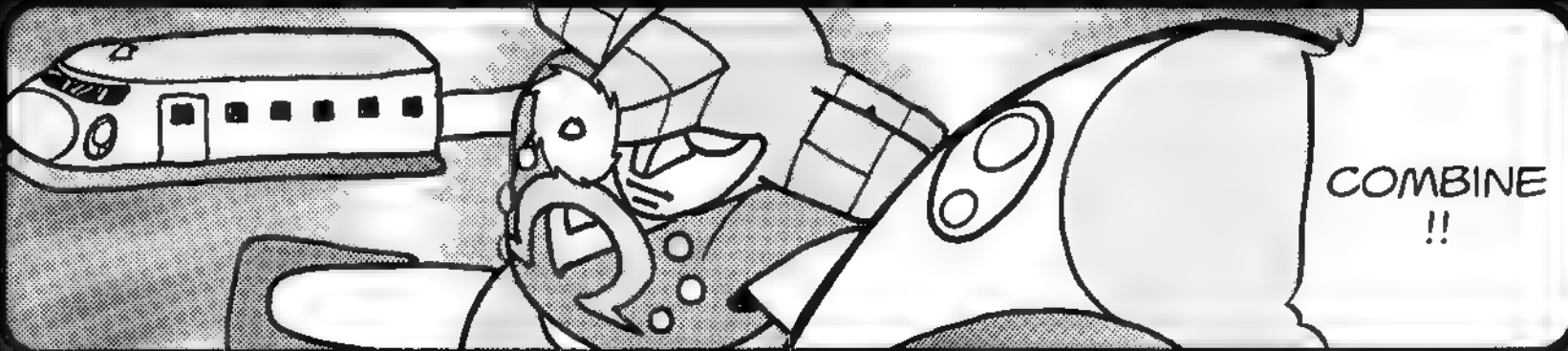
POLI,  
YOU  
TAKE  
THE  
OMEGA  
TRAIN.

GYARA,  
YOU  
TAKE  
THE  
OMEGA  
SHIP!!



ROGER!

PIKA,  
YOU  
TAKE  
THE  
OMEGA  
PLANE  
!!



COMBINE  
!!



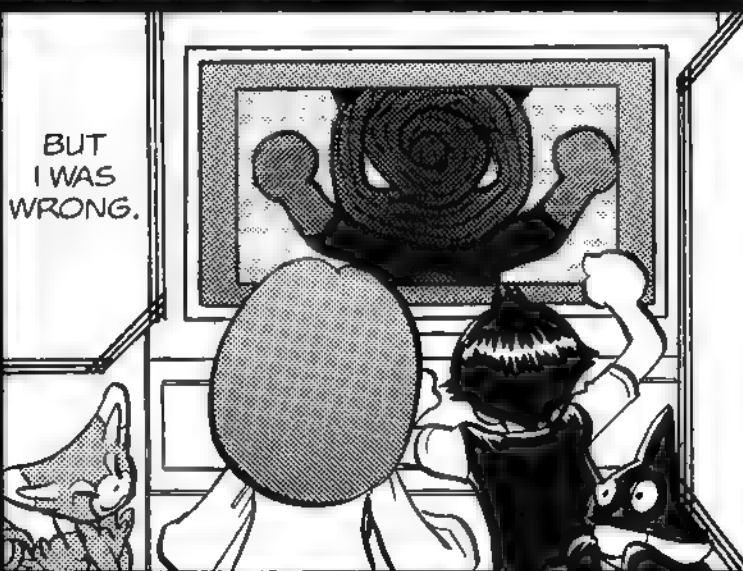
DID YOU  
REALLY  
THINK YOU  
COULD PUT  
A STOP  
TO THE  
SINISTER  
PLAN...

...OF  
THE  
GREAT  
DEMON  
BRIOCHE  
?!

GAH HA  
HA HA HA.  
WE MEET  
AGAIN,  
PROTEAM  
OMEGA.



THEY'RE  
REAL.



BUT  
I WAS  
WRONG.

I  
THOUGHT  
BAD GUYS  
LIKE THAT  
ONLY  
EXISTED  
ON TV.



...AND  
CONTROL  
IT!!

THERE  
ARE  
PEOPLE  
WHO ARE  
TRYING  
TO TAKE  
OVER THE  
WORLD...



I  
JUST CAN'T  
SIT BACK  
AND WATCH.  
I HAVE TO DO  
SOMETHING  
ABOUT IT...



THEY  
SCREECH  
TO A  
HALT...

THEY  
FIGHT  
DIRTY...

THEY  
CHEAT...

...WITH  
ALL  
THEY'VE  
GOT!

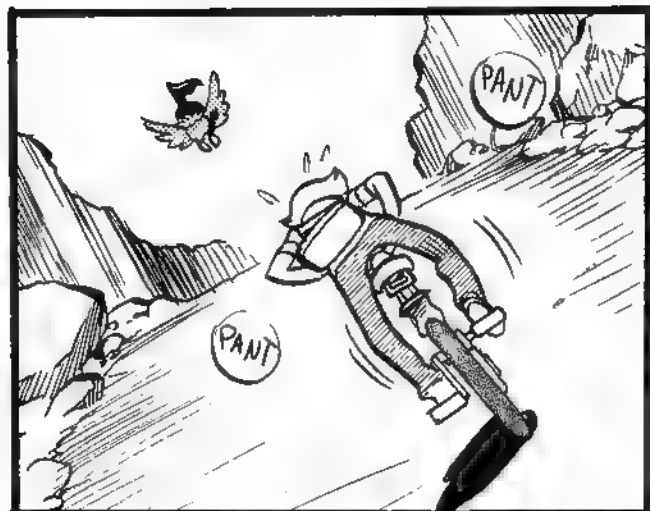
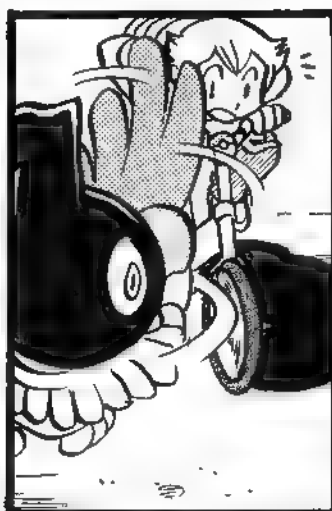
THEY  
LIE...

...AND  
THEY  
HURT  
PEOPLE.

THEY  
STEAL  
ALL  
KINDS  
OF  
STUFF...

WHOOSH!



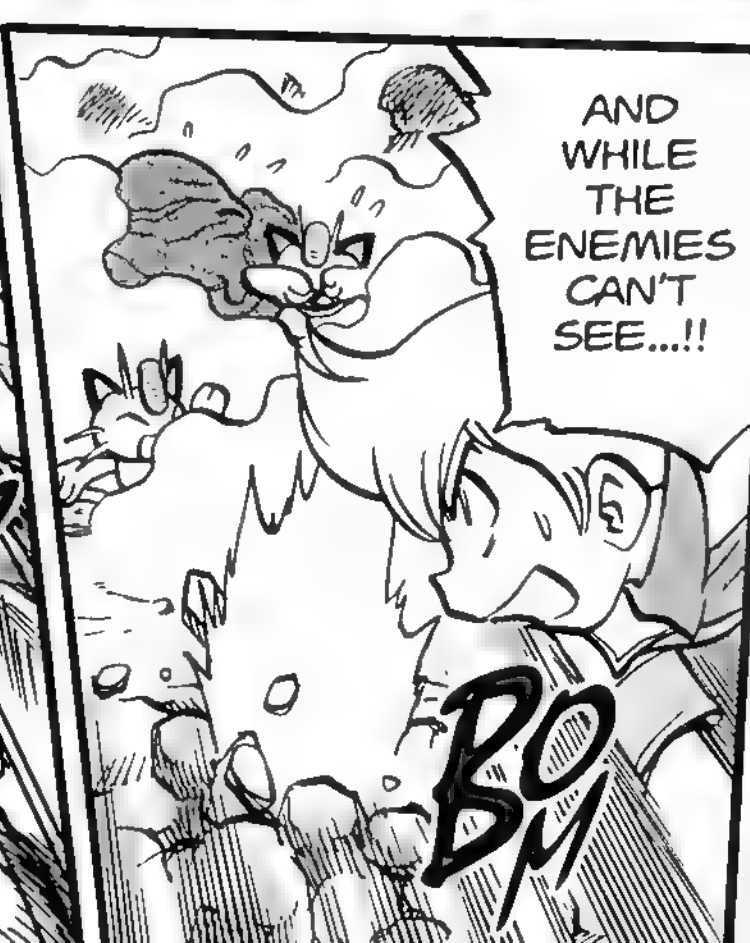






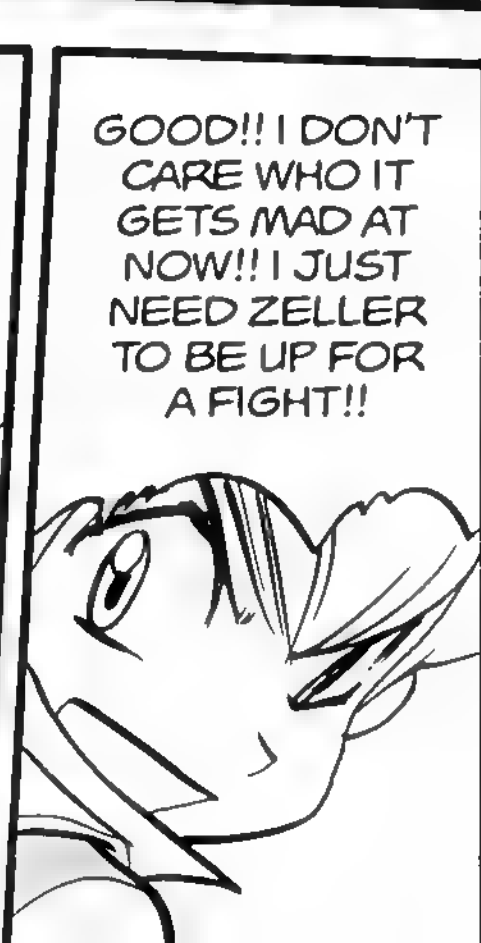
IT  
WON'T  
LISTEN  
TO ME  
YET!!

OWWW!!  
I'M NOT  
YOUR  
ENEMY!!

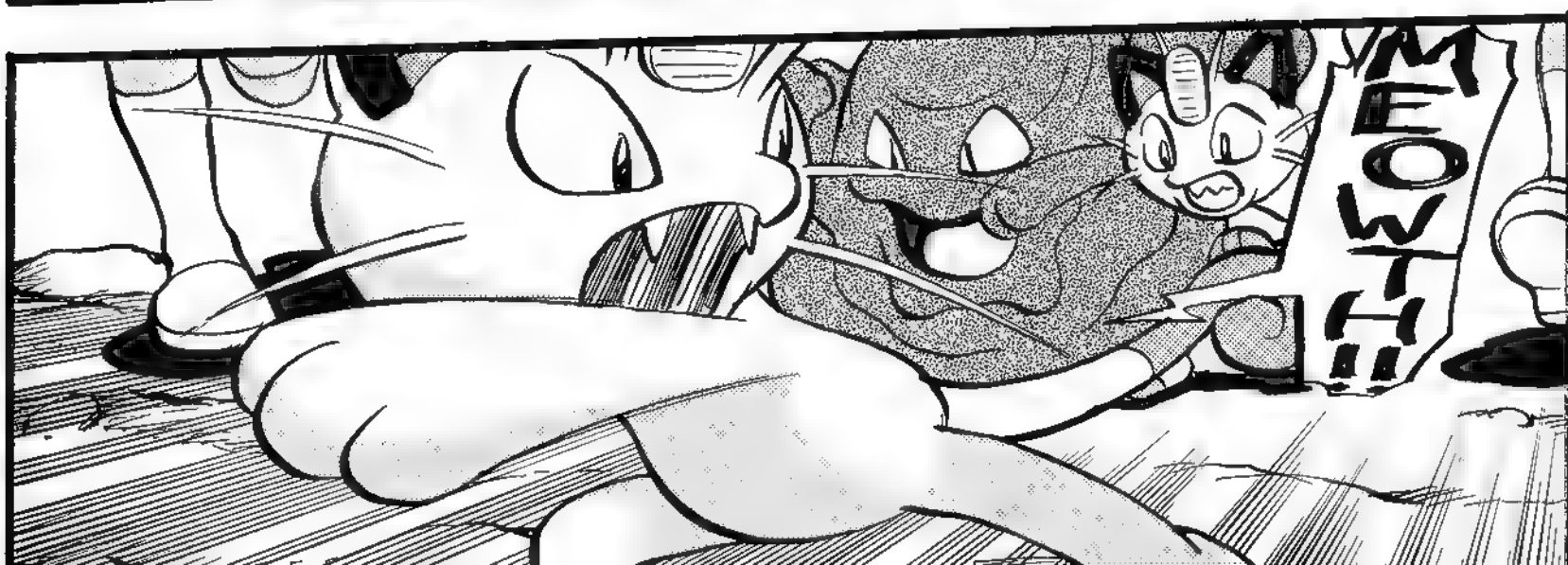
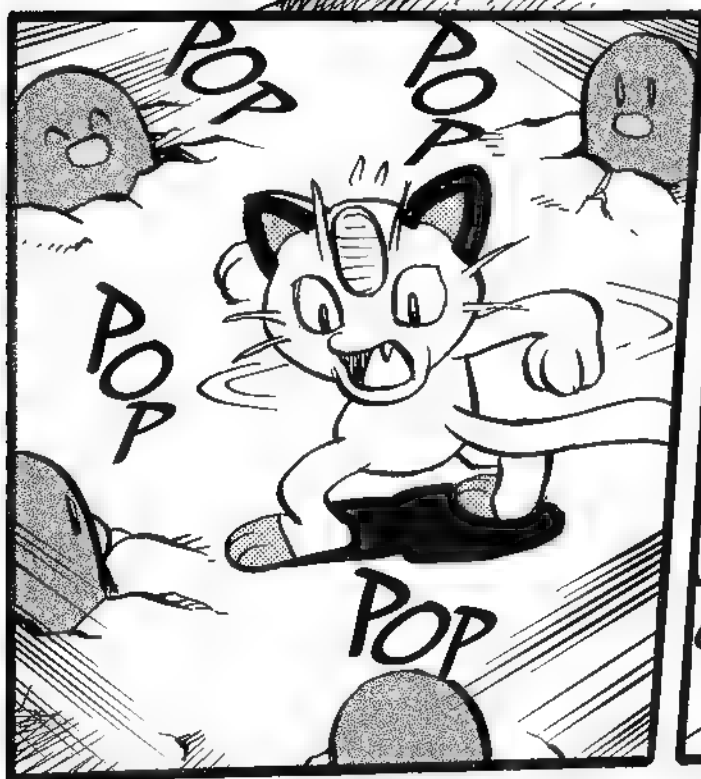
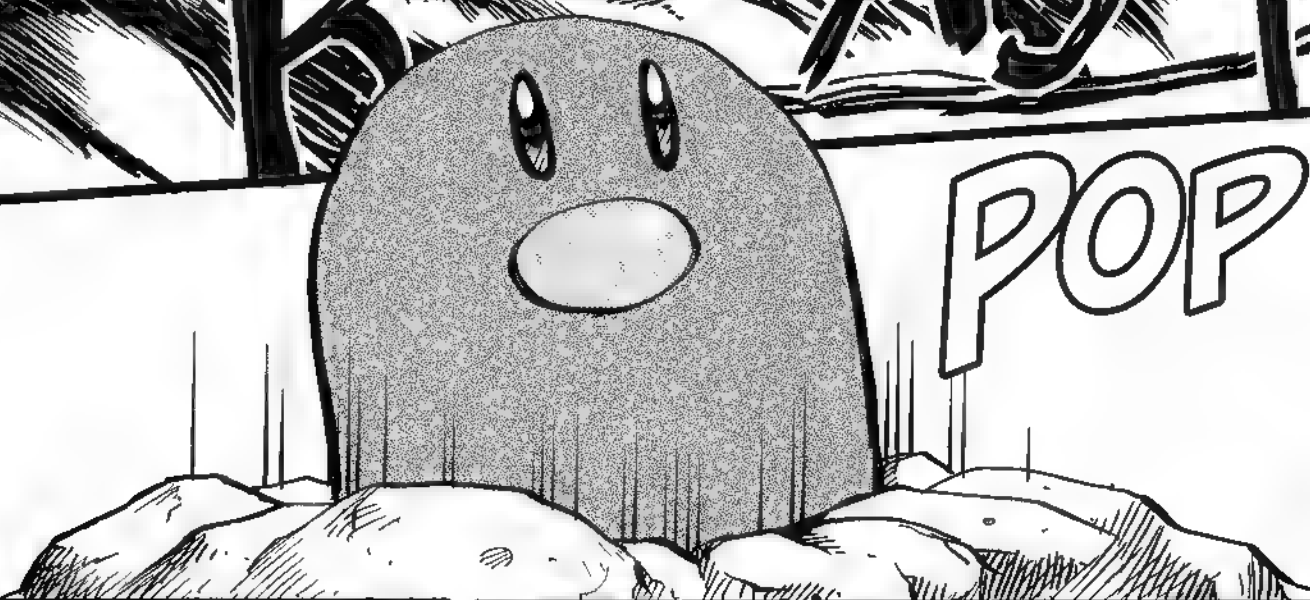


AND  
WHILE  
THE  
ENEMIES  
CAN'T  
SEE....!!

GOOD!! I DON'T  
CARE WHO IT  
GETS MAD AT  
NOW!! I JUST  
NEED ZELLER  
TO BE UP FOR  
A FIGHT!!











WOW!



TAULER ?

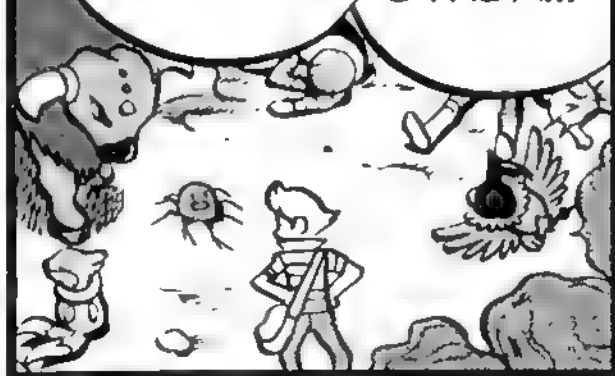


DIGLER ?

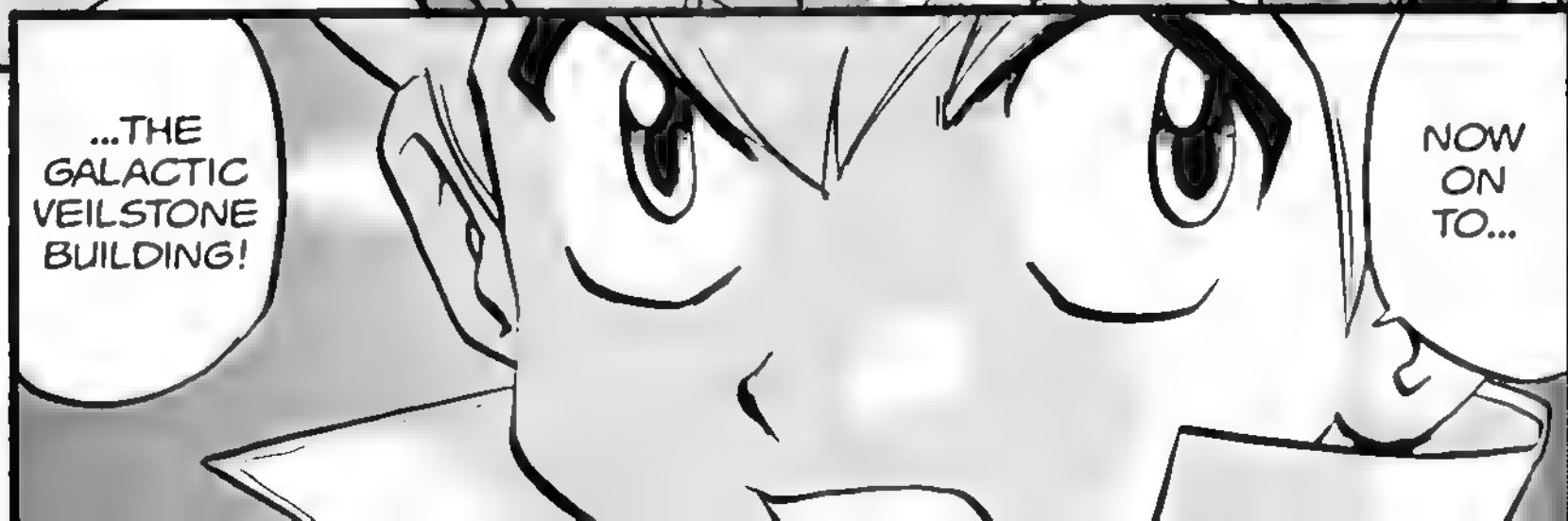
RIGHT ...

...BUT WE  
MANAGED  
A  
COMBINA-  
TION  
ATTACK.

WE  
STILL  
HAVE A  
LOT TO  
LEARN  
ABOUT  
EACH  
OTHER...







## DIAMOND



▶ <b>TRU</b> Torterra ♂		▶ <b>KIT</b> Lickilicky ♂	
▶ <b>LAX</b> Munchlax ♂			
▶ <b>DON</b> Sheldon ♂			

## PEARL



▶ <b>CHIMLER</b> Infernape ♂		▶ <b>ZELLER</b> Buizel ♂	
▶ <b>CHATLER</b> Chatot ♂		▶ <b>TAULER</b> Tauros ♂	
▶ <b>RAYLER</b> Luxray ♂		▶ <b>DIGLER</b> Diglett ♂	



▶ Snowpoint  
Pokémon Center



▶ <b>EMPOLEON</b> Empoleon ♀		▶ <b>LOPUNNY</b> Lopunny ♀			
▶ <b>RAPIDASH</b> Rapidash ♂					

<b>Oreburgh</b> VS Roark Coal Badge	<b>Eterna</b> VS Gardenia Forest Badge	<b>Veilstone</b> VS Maylene Cobble Badge	<b>Pastoria</b> VS Wake Fen Badge	<b>Hearthome</b> VS Fantina Relic Badge	<b>Canalave</b> VS Byron Mine Badge	<b>Snowpoint City</b> VS Candice Icicle Badge	



## **Message from Hidenori Kusaka**

I love bicycles. That wonderful feeling of cutting through the wind... I usually use my bike to get to meetings. It's about a 25-minute ride from my house in Shinjuku to the Shogakukan building in Jinbocho. As I pedal away, what flies past my head are scenes and phrases from the manga! Come to think of it, the main characters of Pokémon all ride bicycles too.



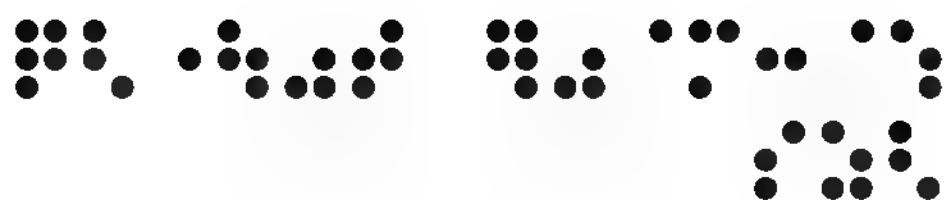
## **Message from Satoshi Yamamoto**

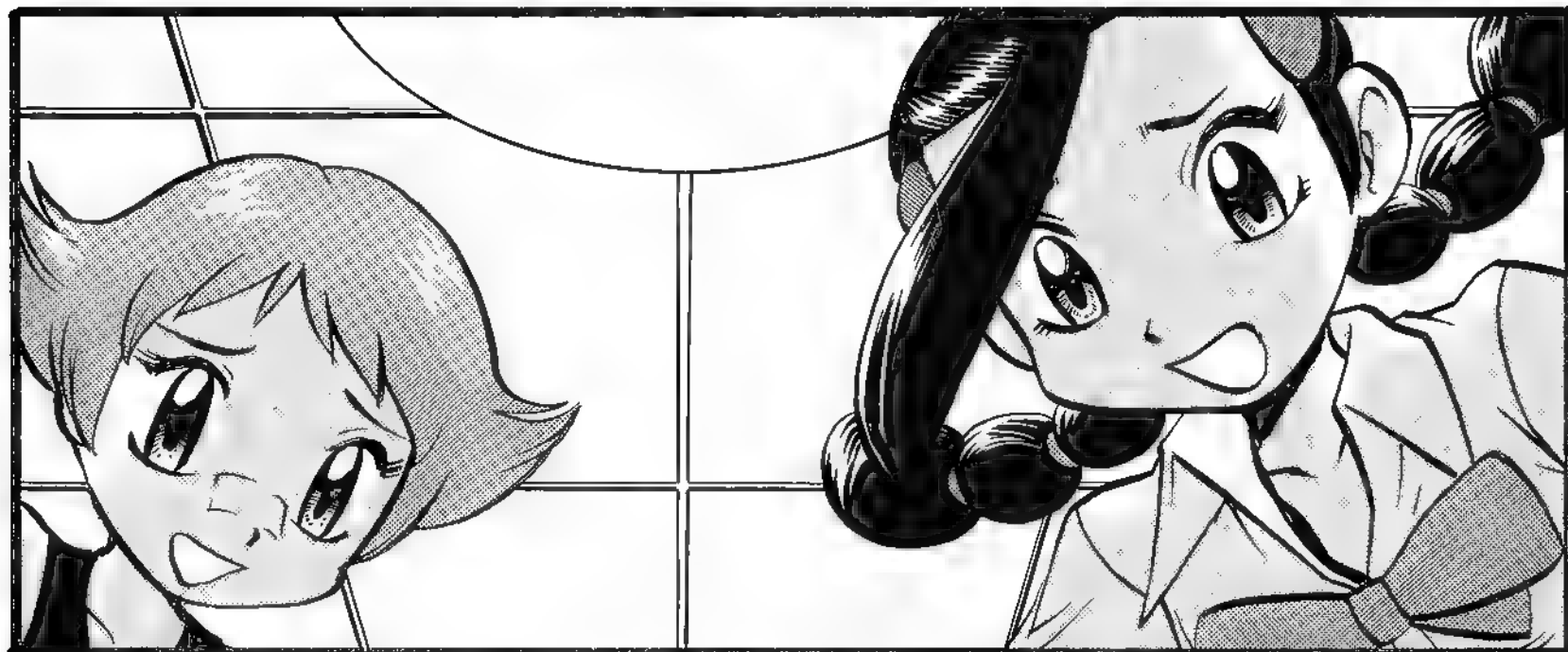
In this volume, our trio has separated and combined with others to form three different groups. Each group has its own charm. Which configuration do you like the most...? My guess would be the original trio of Diamond, Pearl and Lady.

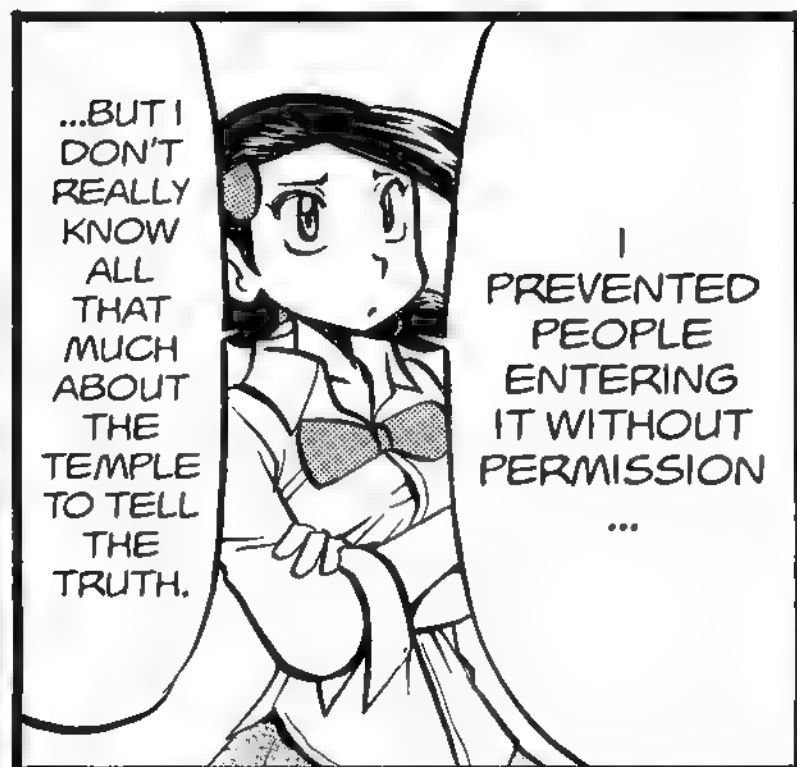
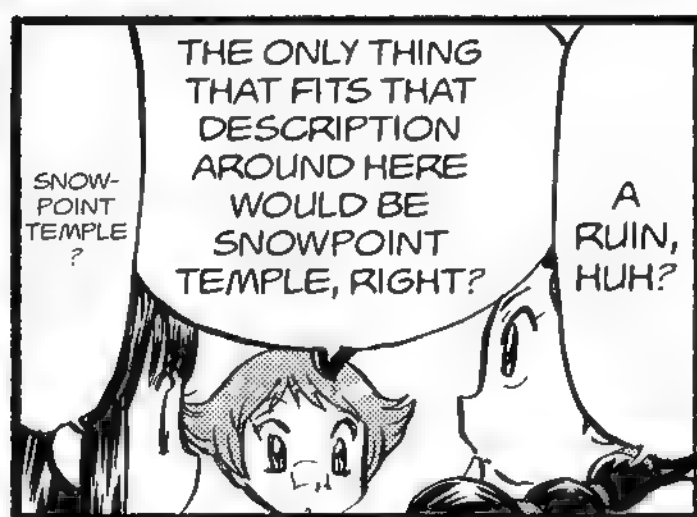


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# Encounter- ing Elekid











WE  
NEED A NEW  
STRATEGY!!

THEY  
TOOK THE  
LEGENDARY  
POKÉMON  
OF THE LAKE  
WITH THEM!

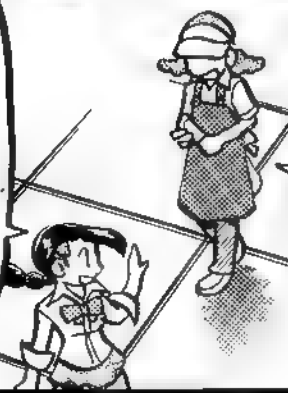
SO  
FAR...  
WE'VE  
LOST!!

HEY!! IS  
THERE  
SOME-  
THING YOU  
FORGOT  
TO TELL  
ME...



HELLO!!  
CANDICE  
SPEAKING  
!!

OH,  
THANKS.



CANDICE...?  
THAT MAN  
YOU CALLED  
A WHILE BACK  
IS RETURNING  
YOUR CALL.



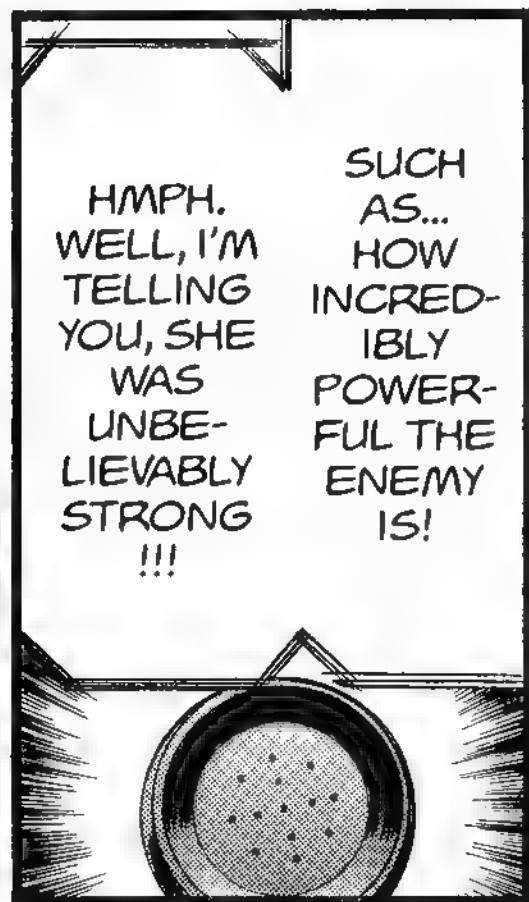
...  
BYRON  
?!!



OKAY,  
OKAY.

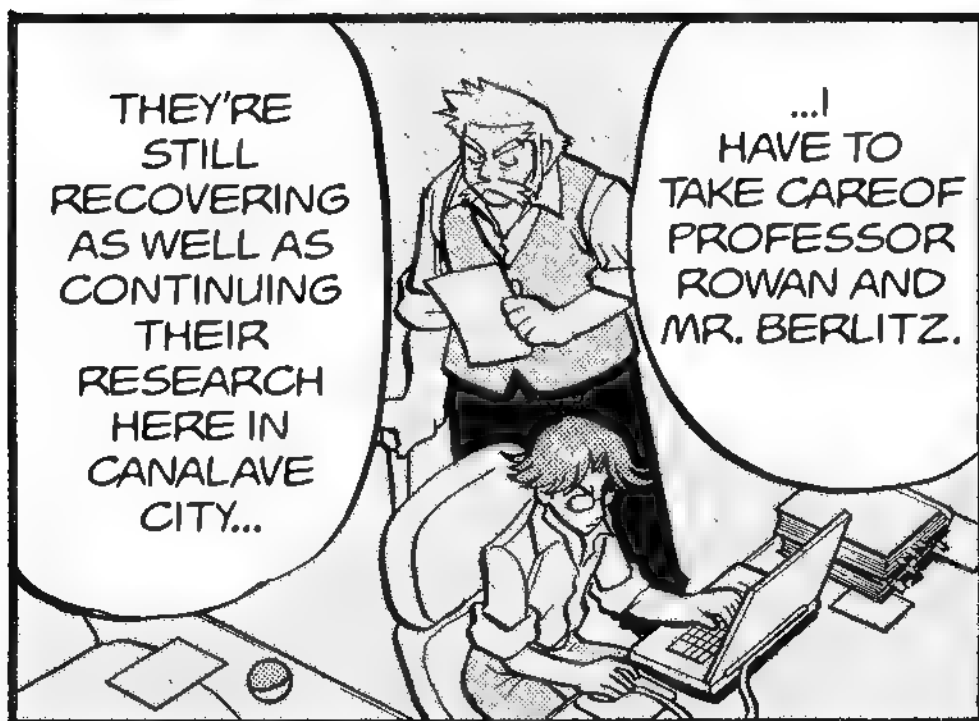
AND WE  
NEED TO  
TRAIN TOO!!  
WE WANT  
SOMEBODY  
TO TRAIN  
US!!

WE  
NEED  
BACK-UP  
AND WE  
NEED IT  
NOW!!



HMPH.  
WELL, I'M  
TELLING  
YOU, SHE  
WAS  
UNBE-  
LIEVABLY  
STRONG  
!!!

SUCH  
AS...  
HOW  
INCRED-  
IBLY  
POWER-  
FUL THE  
ENEMY  
IS!



THEY'RE  
STILL  
RECOVERING  
AS WELL AS  
CONTINUING  
THEIR  
RESEARCH  
HERE IN  
CANALAVE  
CITY...

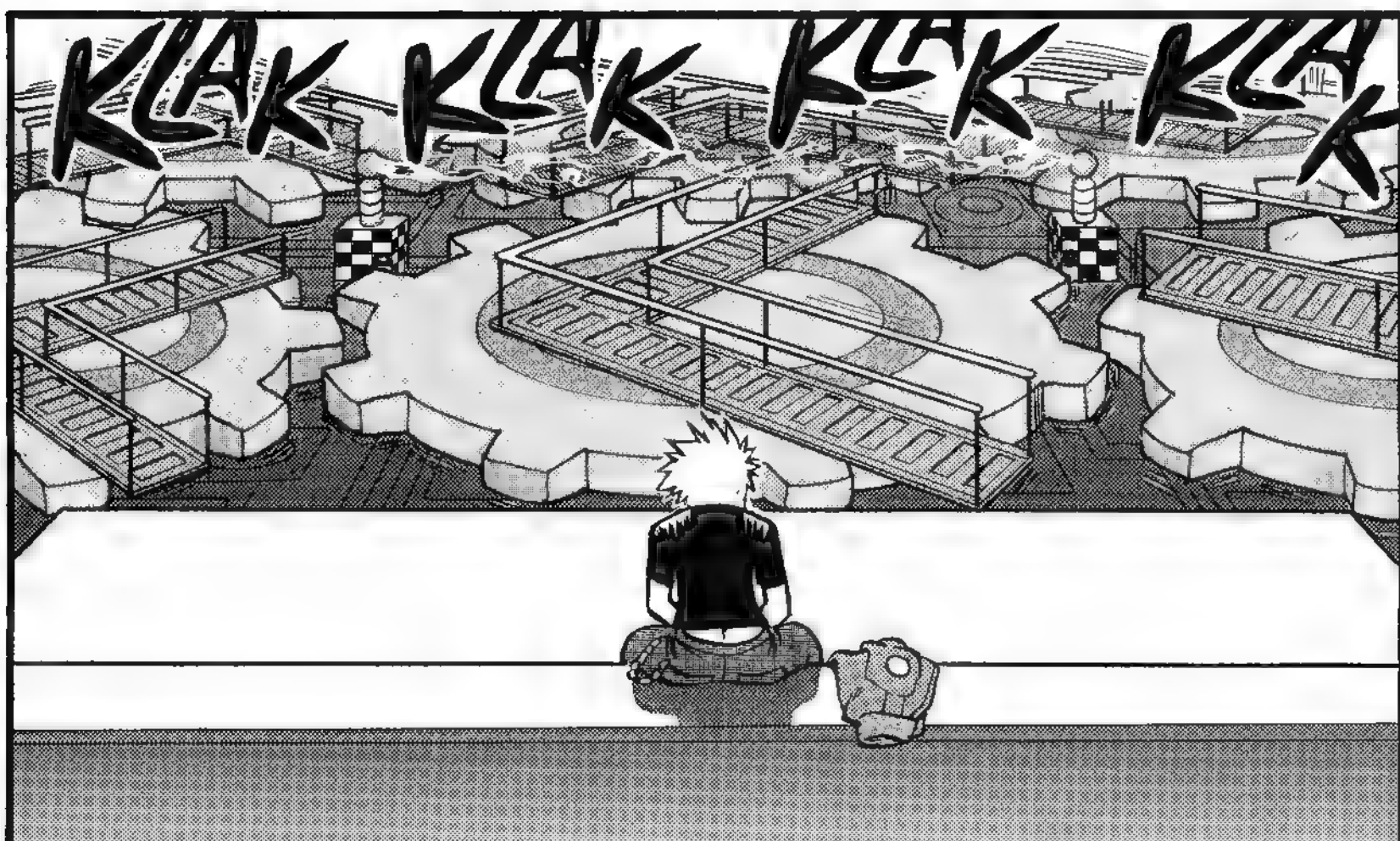
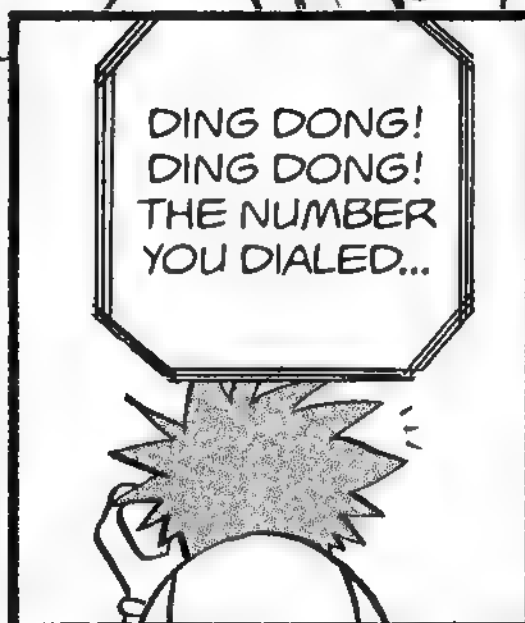
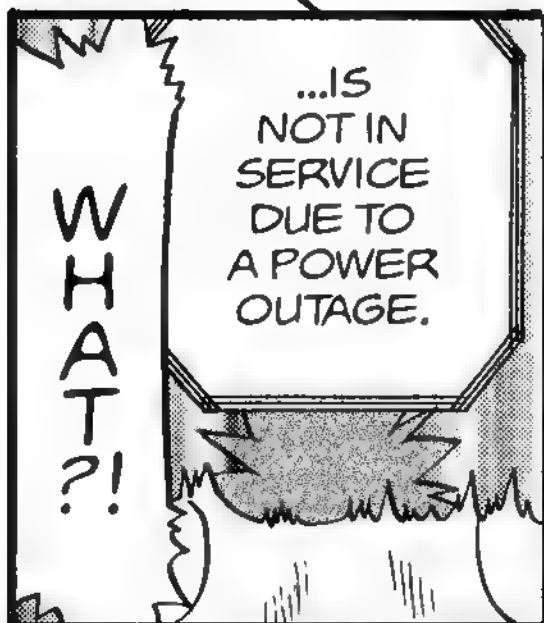
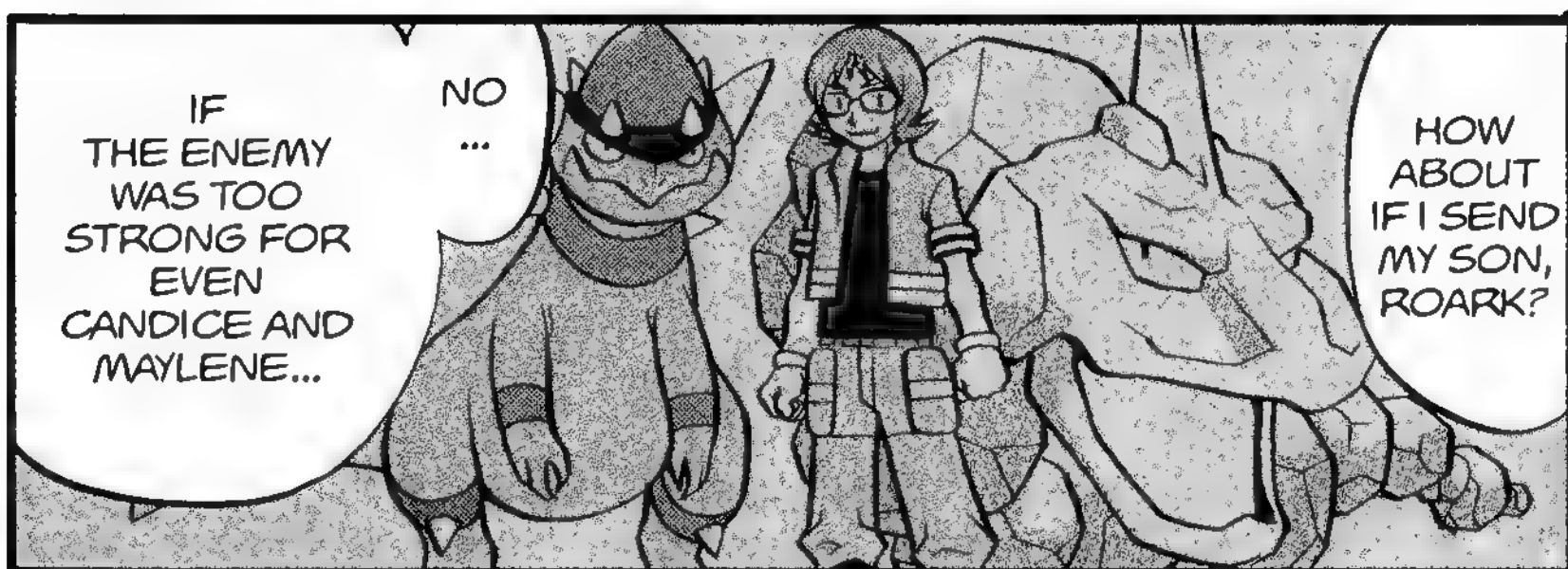
...I  
HAVE TO  
TAKE CARE OF  
PROFESSOR  
ROWAN AND  
MR. BERLITZ.



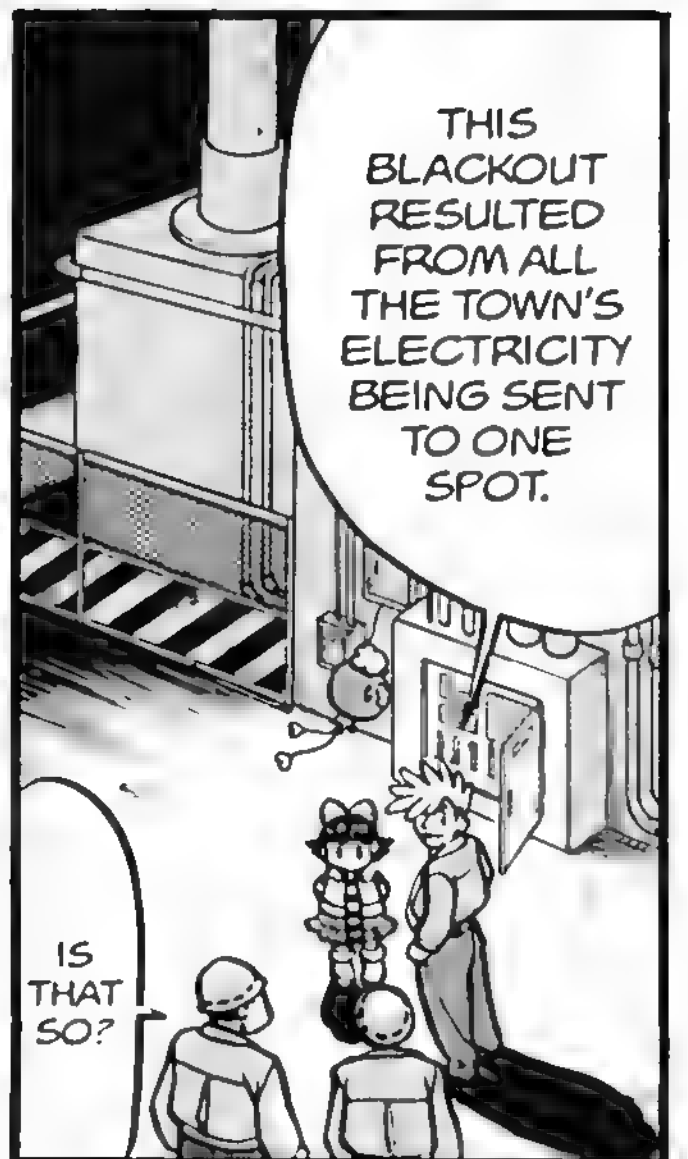
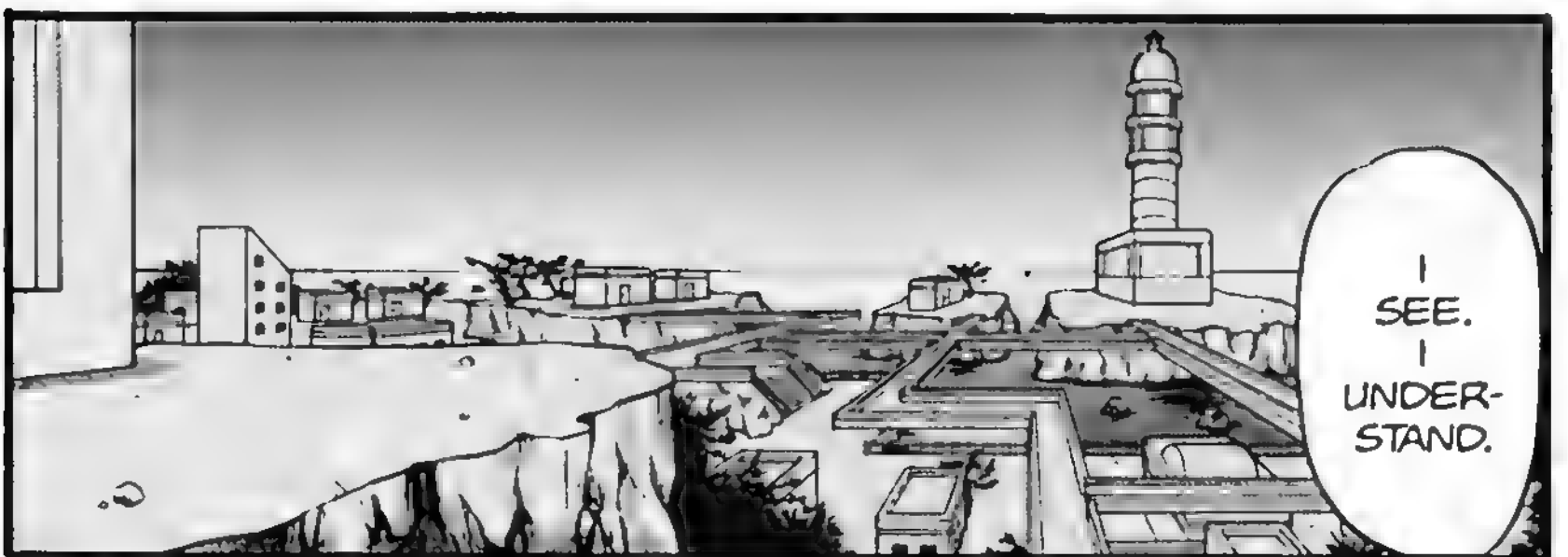
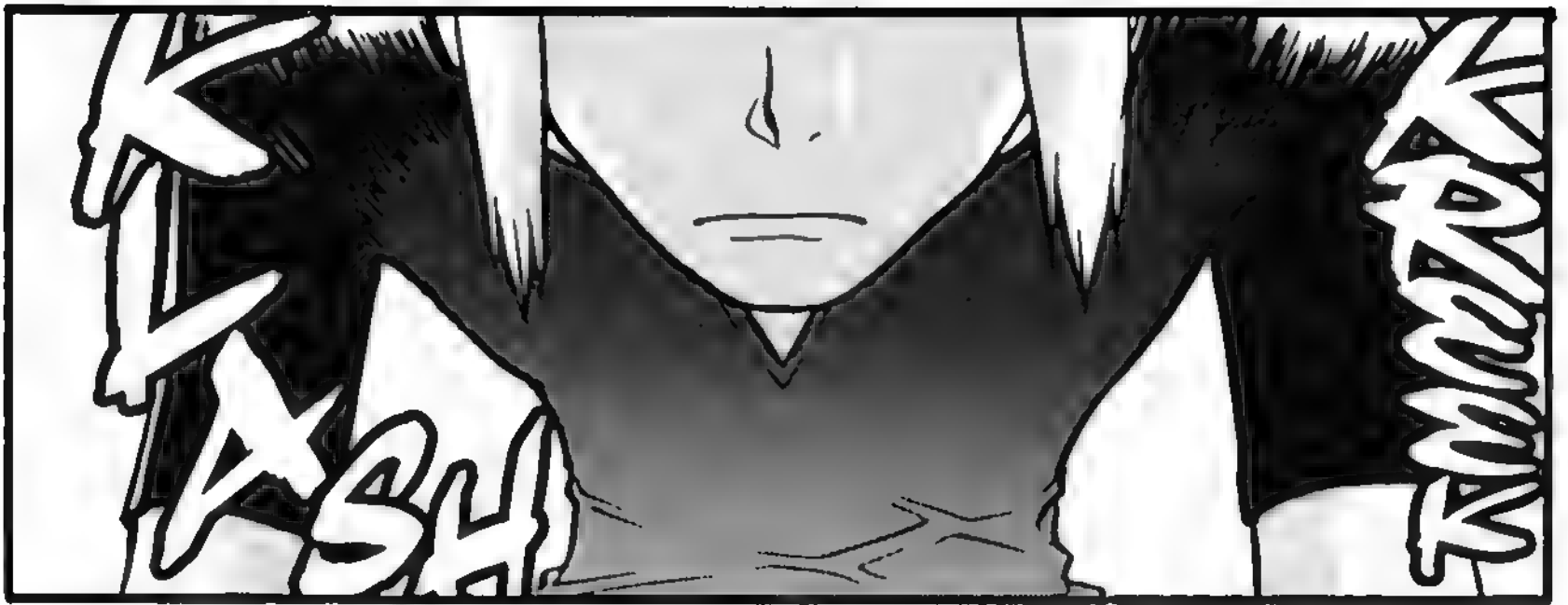
I'LL  
SEND  
SOME-  
ONE  
OVER  
RIGHT  
AWAY.



PERSON-  
ALLY...









HERE IT IS!



I THINK ... UM ...

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

MY DAUGHTER AND I ARE GOING TO HEAD OVER TO CHECK OUT THE CAUSE OF THIS BLACKOUT.



IT'S SO BRIGHT !!

WHOA !!

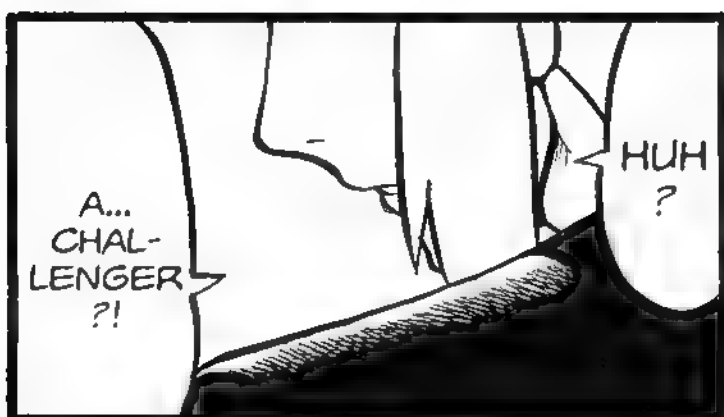
EXCUSE ME, I'M FROM FLOOROMA'S VALLEY WINDWORKS...



HEY!! YOU'RE THE GYM LEADER HERE, AREN'T YOU?!

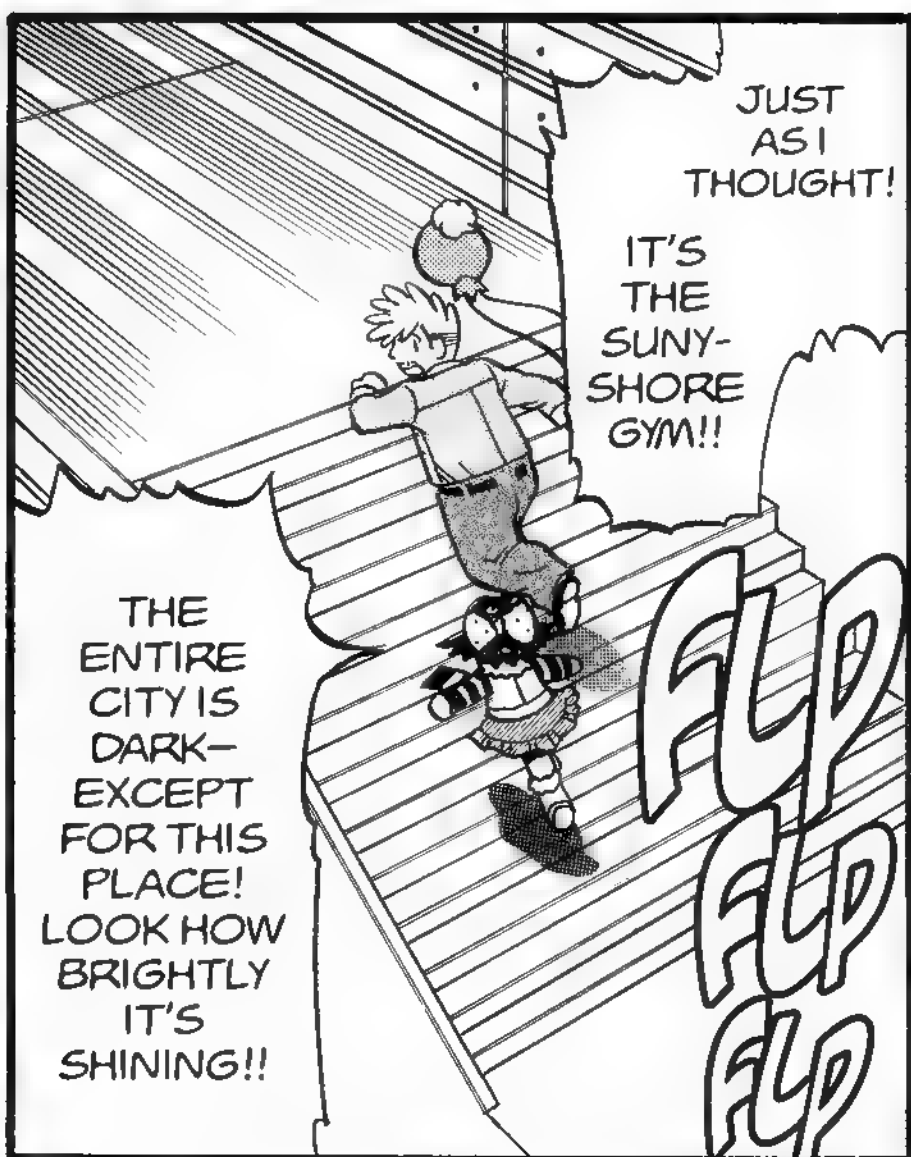


HEY!



A... CHALLENGER ?!

HUH ?



JUST AS I THOUGHT!

IT'S THE SUNY-SHORE GYM!!

THE ENTIRE CITY IS DARK- EXCEPT FOR THIS PLACE! LOOK HOW BRIGHTLY IT'S SHINING!!

FLP  
FLP  
FLP

...WERE  
ALL WEAK  
AND  
BORING.

AND  
THOSE  
FEW WHO  
HAVE...

IT'S  
BEEN A  
LONG  
TIME  
SINCE  
ANYONE  
CHAL-  
LENGED  
ME.

...YOU'RE  
THE KIND  
OF TRAINER  
WHO'LL  
REKINDLE  
MY JOY AT  
FIGHTING  
POKÉMON  
BATTLES.

I  
SURE  
HOPE...

BOM

BOM

NO  
!!

WAIT,  
WAIT!!

WHAT  
A  
PITY.

SO...  
YOU'RE  
NOT A  
CHAL-  
LENGER.

OH.  
YOU'RE  
THE  
DIREC-  
TOR OF  
VALLEY  
WIND-  
WORKS  
?

I CAME  
HERE TO  
INVESTIGATE  
THE  
CATASTROPHIC  
BLACKOUT AT  
SUNYSHORE  
CITY.





WHAT  
?!

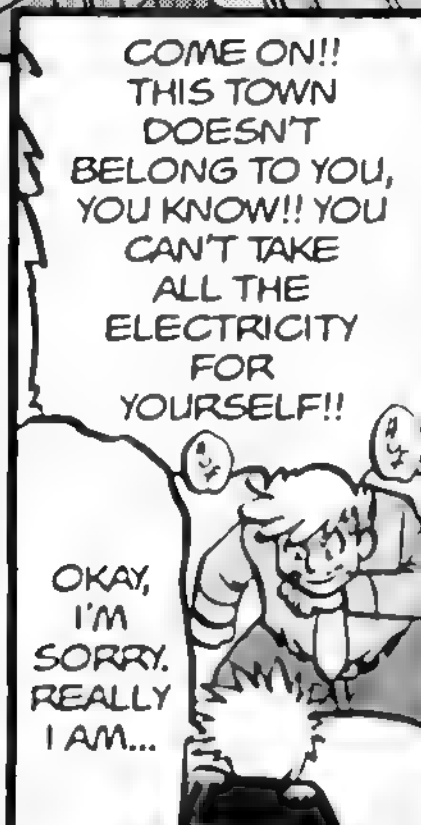
I WENT  
THROUGH  
ALL THE  
TROUBLE OF  
RENOVATING  
THIS GYM, BUT  
NO ONE'S  
COME TO  
BATTLE  
ME...



THAT  
DOESN'T  
GIVE  
YOU THE  
RIGHT TO  
DISRUPT  
THE  
EVERYDAY  
LIFE OF  
ALL THE  
TOWNS-  
PEOPLE...



BUT IT'S  
JUST  
BECAUSE  
I HAVEN'T  
BEEN ABLE  
TO FIGHT ANY  
EXCITING  
BATTLES  
LATELY.



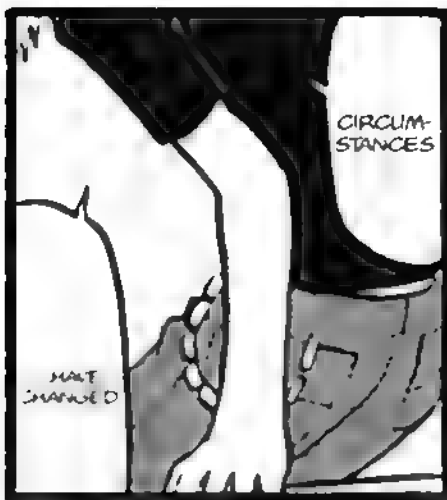
COME ON!!  
THIS TOWN  
DOESN'T  
BELONG TO YOU,  
YOU KNOW!! YOU  
CAN'T TAKE  
ALL THE  
ELECTRICITY  
FOR  
YOURSELF!!

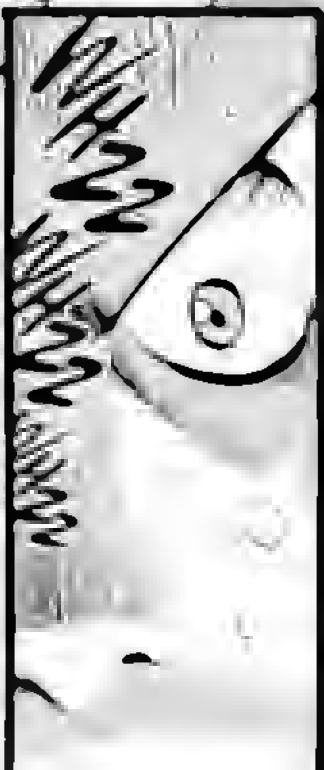
OKAY,  
I'M  
SORRY.  
REALLY  
I AM...



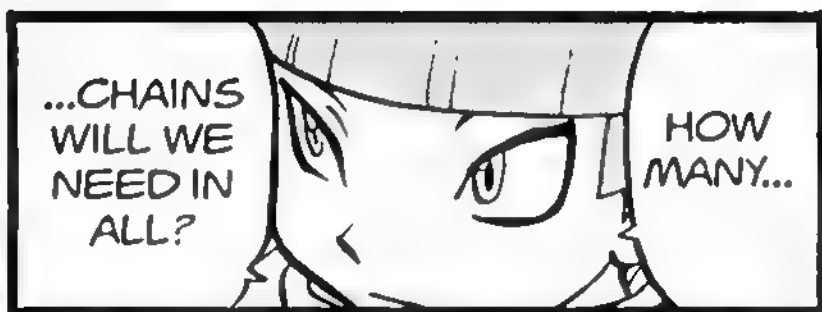
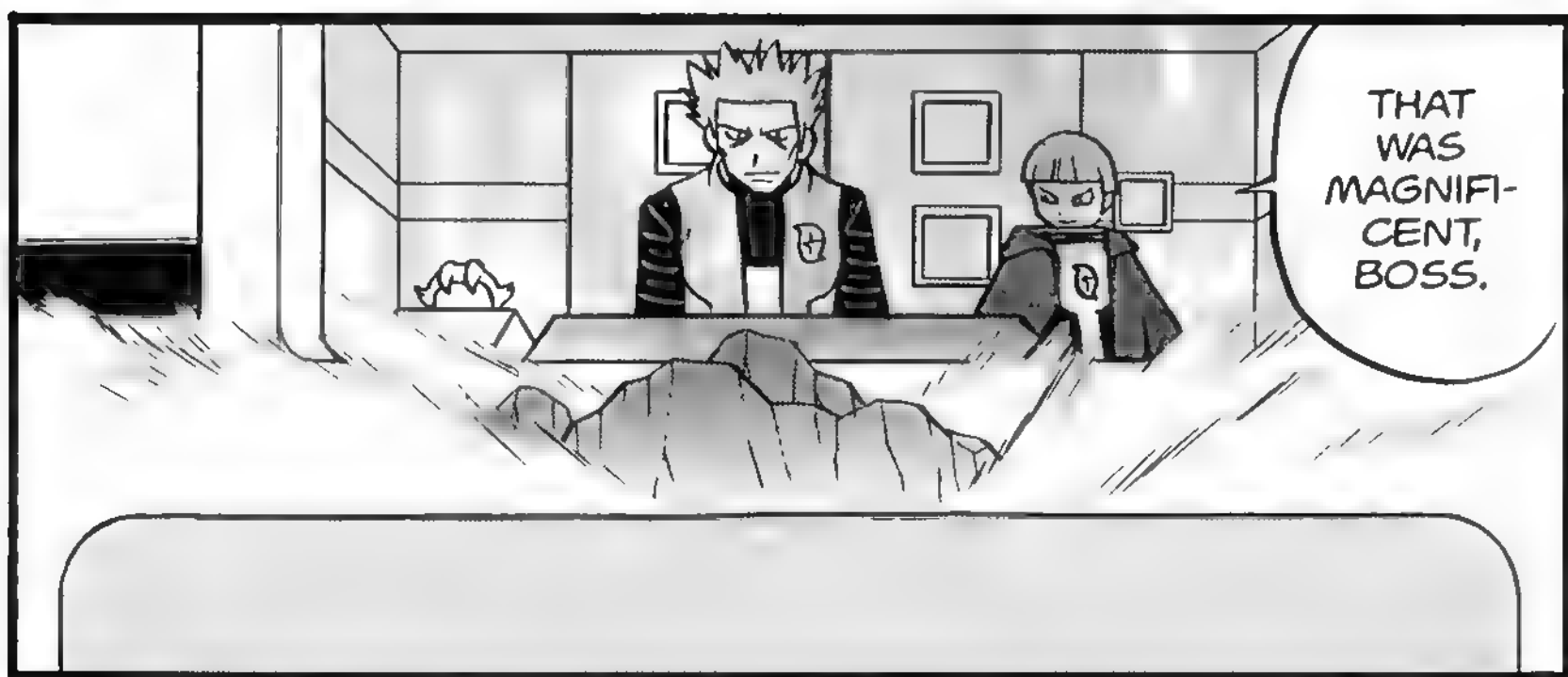
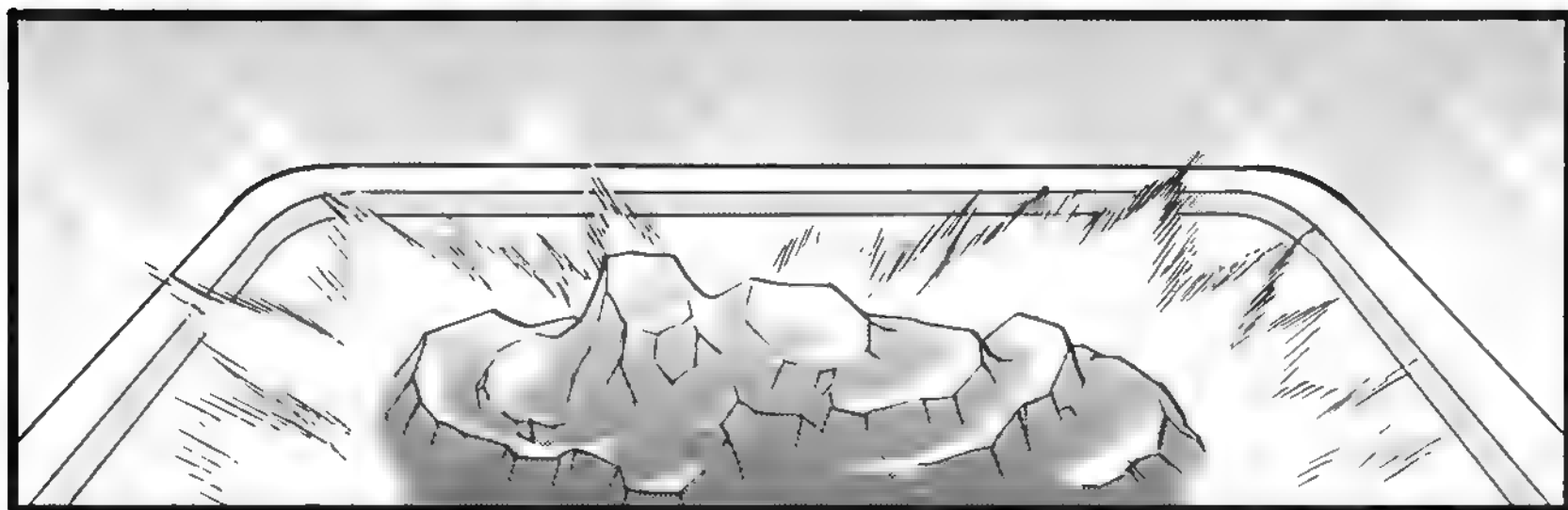
YOU  
HAVE  
TO  
SHUT  
IT  
DOWN!

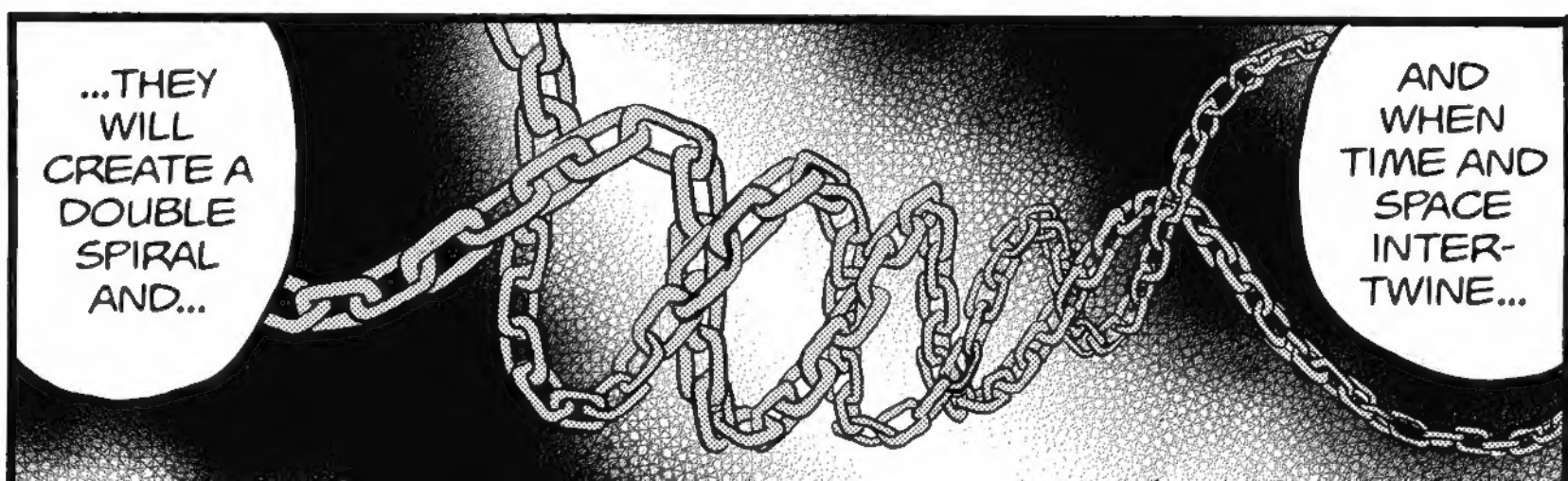
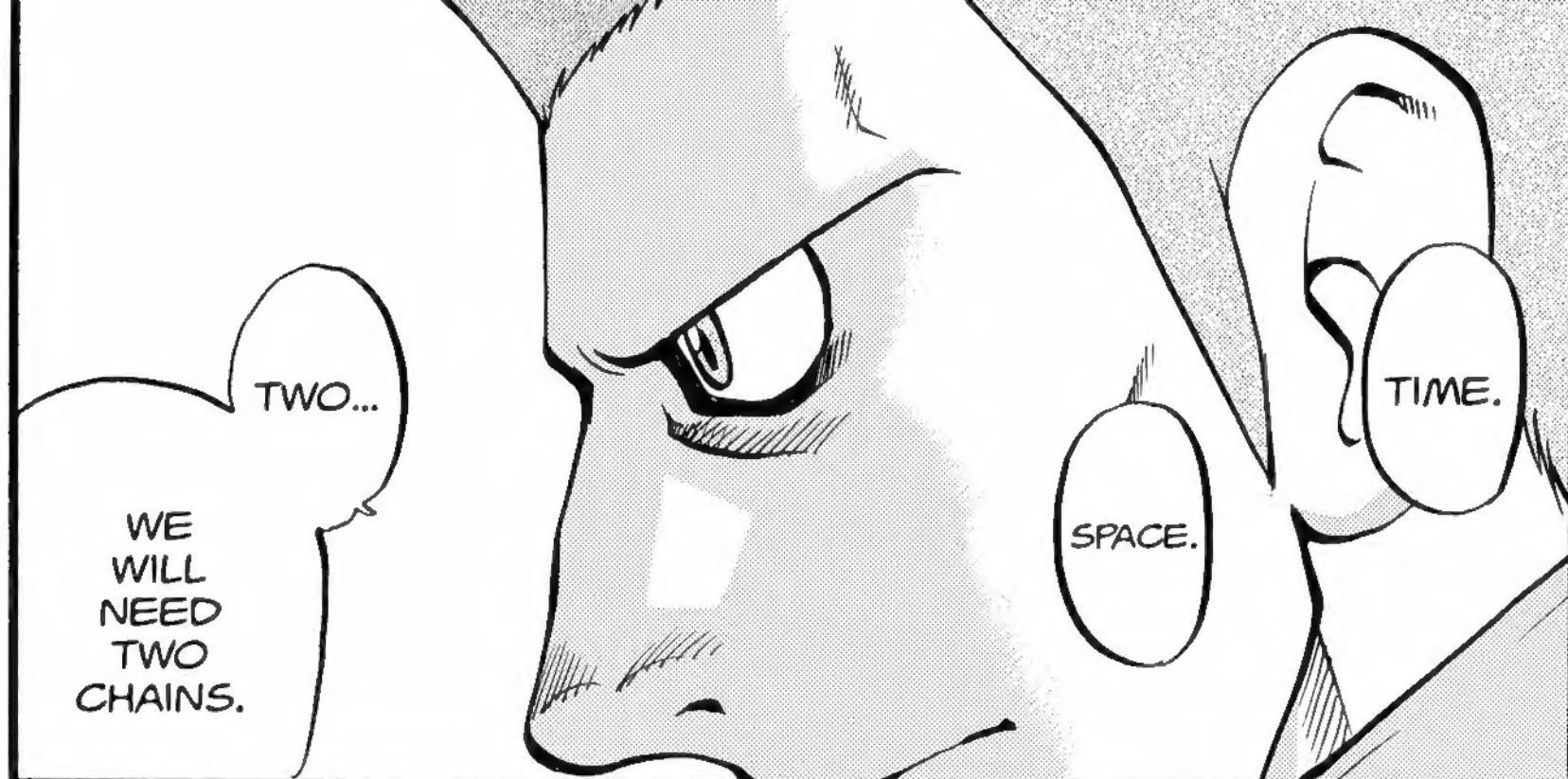
THIS  
HUGE  
DEVICE  
HERE...















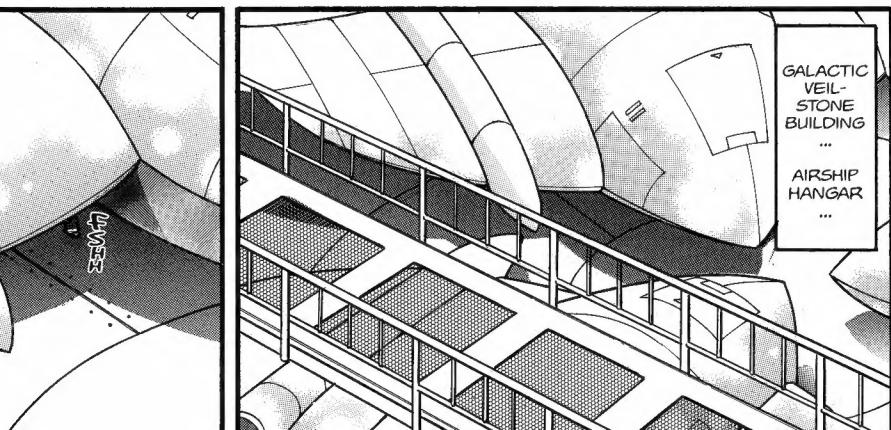
...WILL  
BE  
BORN  
!!

...A  
NEW  
UNI-  
VERSE  
...

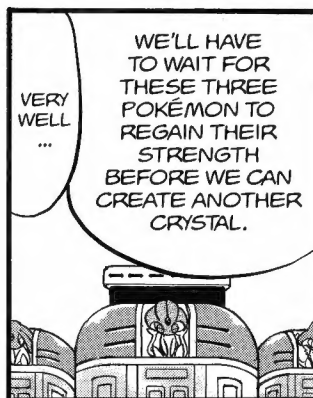
...SO  
THAT  
WE MAY  
CREATE  
A NEW  
ONE!!

AND  
IT WILL  
ABSORB  
THIS  
IMPERFECT  
WORLD...

...AN  
ORIGINAL  
AND  
PERFECT  
CREATION...



GALACTIC  
VEIL-  
STONE  
BUILDING  
...  
AIRSHIP  
HANGAR  
...



VERY  
WELL  
...

WE'LL HAVE  
TO WAIT FOR  
THESE THREE  
POKÉMON TO  
REGAIN THEIR  
STRENGTH  
BEFORE WE CAN  
CREATE ANOTHER  
CRYSTAL.



...THE  
CRYSTAL  
WE  
CREATED  
IS ONLY  
ENOUGH TO  
FORM  
ONE  
CHAIN.

BUT  
...

ALL  
RIGHT  
THEN.  
WE'LL  
MAKE  
TWO  
CHAINS.



OH  
MY  
...

WHAT A  
DASTARD-  
LY PLAN!



